

A special focus on

the giant-killing

dreams of the FA

Cup minnows as they take on the

might of some of the

top teams left in the

competition.

'Pressure's on Boro' TREVOR AYLOTT (BARNSLEY)

"I SEE no reason why we can't get at least a draw at Middlesbrough on Saturday".

That's the optimistic view taken by Barnsley striker Trevor Aylott, whose two goals at White Hart Lane in the last round ended the brave fight of non-league Enfield

The lads are looking forward to the match because we are going there as the underdogs. All the pressure will be on them as the First Division club," says the former Chelsea forward.

'So in many ways it's going to be easier than the Enfield matches, although Middlesbrough have a lot of ability. Enfield really made us struggle and created more chances against us than any Third Division club this season.

"I've seen Middlesbrough on

Middlesbrough v Barnsley

the television two or three times and I was particularly impressed with striker David Hodgson and

midfield player Craig Johnston.
"Hodgson looks particularly sharp and will probably be the player to cause us most problems.

"But I can't see any reason why we shouldn't get at least a draw and bring them back to Barnsley.
"To get them at Oakwell before

a really big crowd would put the pressure on them even more.

Promotion to Division Two is still the priority for Norman

Hunter's side, but Trevor doesn't think the long Cup run will affect their promotion chances.

Some of our rivals have lost points while we have been on Cup duty so we are still in there with a great chance.

"Meanwhile the Cup always creates a great atmosphere and is a big boost for the players and supporters alike.

HISTORIC SHOCKS

GREAT giantkilling feats of recent years.

- Second Division Sunderland beat Leeds 1-0 in FA Cup
- Fourth Division Hereford beat West Ham 2-1 in third round.
- Non-league Wimbledon win 1-0 at Burnley in third round.

Non-league Leatherhead win 1-0 at Brighton in third round.

Non-league Tooting beat Swindon 2-1.

Third Division Crystal Palace win 1-0 at Leeds in fourth

Fourth Division Bradford City win 2-1 at Norwich in fourth round.

Fourth Division Hartlepool beat Crystal Palace 2-1 in third round.

Non-league Blyth Spartans win 3-2 at Stoke in fourth round.

- Third Division Shrewsbury beat Manchester City 2-0.

1979-80 — Non-league Harlow beat Leicester 1-0 in third round. Fourth Division Halifax beat Manchester City 1-0.



'Wark the danger' **COLIN POWELL (CHARLTON)**



IPSWICH be warned . . . Third Division
Charlton aren't going to Portman Road on
Saturday just for the ride.
According to striker Colin Powell, the
title-chasing Londoners are more than
capable on their day of springing one of the
biggest cup surprises of the season.
"Obviously we face a very difficult game,
but we would rather face lpswich than
Shrewsbury because we have everything to
gain and nothing to lose," says Colin, one of
Charlton's longest-serving players.
"The longer we contain them, the better
chance we have of achieving a result. But,
should they get an early goal, then there is a
danger of us being over-run.
"Forward play is an outstanding part of
the lpswich success story and we shall have
to pay particular attention to John Wark's

to pay particular attention to John Wark's late runs into the penalty area.

"But our defence is the main reason for our place near the top of the Third Division and we are hoping that they can survive the early onslaught from Mariner and Co."

lpswich v Charlton

Colin feels the tightening of the Charlton defence has been the main reason for the club's transformation this season

Last season they were relegated from Division Two, but Mike Bailey's side are hot favourites for an immediate return.

The recent run of 19 games without defeat boosted the team's confidence no-end and the team spirit is tremendous,"

says Colin.
"Whatever the outcome at Ipswich, we intend to enjoy ourselves and with such a relaxed frame of mind you just never know what might happen on Cup day."

'Posh can reach Wembley ALAN SLOUGH (PETERBORO')

PETERBOROUGH United could become the first Fourth Division side to reach an FA Cup final. That's the view of their central defender Alan Slough who led Fulham's

Wembley team six years ago.

He believes they are capable of upsetting
First Division visitors Manchester City in
Saturday's fifth round and "then the dream

Saturday's fifth round and "then the dream would not seem all that impossible".
"It all seemed impossible with Fulham, but we reached Wembley from the lower reaches of the Second Division, knocking over sides like Nottingham Forest, Everton and Birmingham," recalls 33-year-old Alan, a key figure in Peterborough's Cup campaign. "Once you reach the fifth round you start dreaming of Wembley. If you can get a slice

dreaming of Wembley. If you can get a slice of luck and a home tie in the sixth round

then the final becomes a reality.
"The semi-finals are a one-off affair on a neutral ground and on the day anything can

Alan feels the current Peterborough side has comparisons with the Fulham team he skippered in the 2-0 defeat by West Ham in

"We've got the same nice blend of experience in the right places through the likes of myself, Tommy Robson and Gordon

Peterborough v Man City

Hodgson and the pace and stamina of Trevor Quow, Robbie Cooke and Billy Kellock.

"Let's face it, there's not a lot of difference between the Second Division and the Fourth. We proved that by winning at Notts County in the last round.

Fourth Division sides are much better organised these days. There's a better class of player in the lower divisions and there's

far more organisation and planning.
"Put it this way, whoever we play, they will be in for a shock."

Alan hopes it will be John Bond's Manchester City who will get the shock on Saturday: "It's a great draw for us because they are a team who will always give you a chance with their attacking style.

They are a better side going forward than they are defending so we must have a chance in front of our own fans."



Giant-killers!



'We can bring 'em home' **TONY KELLOW (EXETER)**

TONY Kellow, Exeter City's hat-trick hero against First Division Leicester in the last round, goes to Newcastle this Saturday believing the Third Division side can upset the odds once again.

We are playing well away from home and I'm sure we are capable of getting something up there, probably the chance to bring them back to our place," says Tony, who still longs for the chance to play in the

who still longs for the chance to play in the First Division.

"However I think this tie will be twice as hard as the one with Leicester.

"Newcastle may be a Second Division side but they have a great Cup tradition and it's another round nearer Wembley — plus the fact they have a fanatical crowd."

Tony, the country's leading goalscorer with 25 goals up to January 31, admits that Newcastle are something of an unknown quantity to himself and his team mates.

"There are a lot of miles between us and s

There are a lot of miles between us and so we don't get to know much about their players," says the 28-year-old striker. "I know a bit about striker Bobby Shinton,

having played against him, and l understand he always seems to do well against us.

Newcastle v Exeter

It's the first time Exeter have been in the fifth round for 44 years and the exciting run has captured the imagination of the town's

"We had virtually a full house of 16,000 for

We had virtually a full house of 16,000 to the Leicester replay and the whole place is buzzing about the prospect of toppling Newcastle," adds Tony. "We're a bit disappointed at not having a home tie at this stage for our fans. We wouldn't have bothered who it was so long

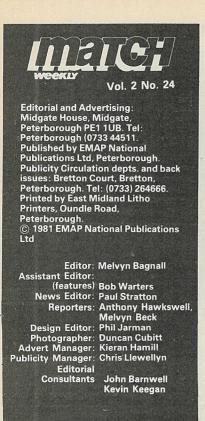
wouldn't have bothered who it was so long as we were at home.

"Still, I suppose you can say we are at 'home' in one way as Newcastle and ourselves both play at St James' Park."

Tony now hopes his goalscoring exploits will bring him a move into top class football.

"I desperately want the chance to play it the First Division, and if getting a hat-trick

the First Division, and if getting a hat-trick against Leicester doesn't help, then nothing



There's no secret says Young

THERE'S no big secret behind struggling Leicester City's amazing League double over mighty Liverpool. So says their Scottish striker Alan Young who suffered the painful experience of heading into his own net during the 2-1 win at Anfield.

'It's simply a matter of matching Liverpool's effort, taking some of the chances that come your way and not allowing them any, which is the formula for every game. "We did not allow them any

real chances and we took two of the four or five that came our

Leicester's victory ended Liverpool's 85-game unbeaten record at Anfield — stretching back to January 21, 1978 when Sir Alf Ramsey's Birmingham City side won there. And they are the first side to complete the double' over Liverpool since Arsenal achieved it six years ago.

What about his own goal that put Liverpool in front? "I had a funny feeling about scoring at the wrong end when I made the run to cover Terry McDermott,"

When I jumped for the cross I

could see me putting it in. And my fears came true when I deflected the cross into the top corner.

Will that Anfield victory prove to be the turning point for Leicester?

'We're our own worst enemies," says Alan. We can't be such a bad team if we can beat Liverpool twice, so the fight against relegation is very much in our own hands.

'I'm sure of one thing — if we do go down we'll bounce straight back up again."

 ONE special spectator at the above match was 17-year-old Tony Incenzo, who became the youngest fan ever to visit all 92 League grounds.

"It was a tremendous day for me. Liverpool made me feel really welcome and the shock result made it a special day to remember," said the Finchley, London, youngster.

As well as meeting the players before the match Tony was presented with a shirt worn by Kenny Dalglish and a crystal tankard from the club.



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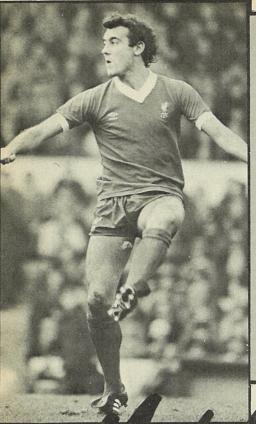
I AM 15-years-old and support St Mirren and would like a pen pal who supports Darlington in order to swap programmes and views on the game. Kenneth Paul, 22 Newark Drive, Glenburn, Paisley, Scotland.

Piroeus, Greece.

TICK AS APPLICABLE

CELTIC

WOLVES



Kennedy looks to Forest for help

ENGLAND midfield star Ray Kennedy is looking to European Champions Nottingham

Forest to help Liverpool reach the semi-finals of this season's competition.

Liverpool, winners in 1977 and 1978, have been drawn against Bulgarian champions CSKA Sofia who ended Forest's hopes of a hat-trick of cup successes in the first round. Says Ray: "We'll be looking for some help

from Forest to get over what looks to be a difficult hurdle for us.

They beat Forest 2-0 on aggregate when Brian Clough's side weren't playing very well, but, nevertheless, they must be a fair

'We haven't been playing too well ourselves over the past few weeks, but we hope to get back in the groove before the

Liverpool's Ray Kennedy — looking to Forest for some help in the European

first leg, which unfortunately is at home.
"We would have preferred to have played

the first leg over there, but we'll just have to build up a good lead at Anfield.

"Considering the quality of the sides left in the last eight I suppose we have fared pretty well, but we shall have to play better than we have been doing recently to get

Tiny Newport from the Third Division face East Germany's Carl Zeiss Jena in the Cup-Winners' Cup, while FA Cup holders West Ham take on the Russians, Dynamo Tbilisi who knocked Liverpool out of the European Cup last season.

UEFA Cup hopefuls Ipswich face a tough test in the quarter-finals against French club St Etienne, and, like West Ham, they have yet to win away in the competition so far.

Compiled by Bob Warters

Clough wants Wembley 'double'

BRIAN Clough has given some Nottingham schoolboys a pointer or two for a soccer journey which they hope will end in a trip down 'Wembley

Youngsters from Huntingdon Junior School in Nottingham have reached the area finals of an English Schools' FA six-a-side competition and the finals are at Wembley on June 13.

And the Forest manager commented: "It would be marvellous for us and the lads if we could make it a Wembley double for Nottingham this season.

We will be trying our best to get there in the FA Cup final and if they make it as well they can have a drink on me.

"I know what it means for seasoned professionals to get the chance of playing at Wembley so I can imagine what it would be like for these lads to walk on the famous turf.

'It's an opportunity that never comes to players who have a lifetime in the game, so good luck to the lads and I hope they make it.'

EXPLODING LUNCH!

BOLTON Wanderers' first team squad had a shock before their Second Division game at

Terrorist squad detectives were called to their hotel at lunchtime before the match after a suspicious briefcase was discovered on the floor of

the dining room where the team were just about to begin their pre-match meal.

The players were ushered to the car park and the police decided they had no choice but to explode the mysterious case.

When the smoke cleared the contents were revealed . . . a Daily Express and a bag of sandwiches!



Full draws:

European Cup, quarter-finals: Bayern Munich (West Germany) v Banik Ostrava (Czechoslovakia); Spartak Moscow (Russia) v Real Madrid (Spain); LIVERPOOL v CSKA Sofia (Bulgaria); Inter-Milan (Italy) v Red Star Belgrade (Yugoslavia).

Cup-Winners' Cup, quarter-finals: WEST HAM v Dynamo Tbilisi (Russia); Carl Zeiss Jena (East Germany) v NEWPORT COUNTY; Fortuna Dusseldorf (West Germany) v Benfica (Portugal); Feyenoord (Holland) v Slavia Sofia

(Bulgaria).

UEFA Cup, quarter-finals: St Etienne (France) v IPSWICH
TOWN; Grasshoppers (Switzerland) v FC Sochaux
(France); Cologne (West Germany) v Standard Liege
(Belgium); AZ 67 Alkmaar (Holland) v KSC Lokeren

First legs are due to be played on March 4 with the return legs on March 18.

McNeil is Cup's hot-shot!

WOLVES beware! Wrexham's Dixie McNeil is the goalscoring king of the

The First Division team will have to watch the dangerous Wrexham striker very carefully for when it comes to the cup, Dixie is tops.

Dixie's goal against Wimbledon in the fourth round was his 28th FA Cup goal — more than any current player.

Neal's so proud

MIDDLESBROUGH boss John Neal was so proud that his talented midfield star Craig Johnston had won our Matchman of the Month competition that he decided to present the trophy himself.

Craig is seen with his manager after being presented with the First Division's November award and a cheque for £100.

Birtles' Cup tip

MANCHESTER United striker Garry Birtles claims his former team Nottingham Forest are now "certainties" to go all the way to Wembley in the FA Cup.

United went down 1-0 to Forest in the fourth round and Garry says: We gave them a hard game, but they came through it well and I'd fancy them to beat any of the teams left in the competition.



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MATCHMEN OF THE

Devonshire wins again

ALAN Devonshire, West Ham's talented midfield player, wins the Second Division award for the second time in three months.

He received the star rating on no fewer than five occasions in seven matches during the month to finish with a remarkable average mark of 8.42.

Three other players also topped the eight point mark with Steve Spriggs, the little Cambridge United midfield dynamo, in second place with 8.20.

In joint third place with 8.00 were Grimsby's Joe Waters and Wrexham defender Gareth Davis.

West Ham's Alan Devonshire (right) wins the Second Division award for the second time in three months.

SECO	OND DIVISION		
Alan Devonshire	West Ham	7	8.42
Steve Spriggs	Cambridge	5	8.20
Joe Waters	Grimsby	3	8.00
Gareth Davis	Wrexham	3	8.00
Terry Curran	Sheff. Wed	4	7.75
Steve Wicks	Q.P.R.	4	7.75
Alan Gowling	Bolton	4	7.75
Joey Jones	Wrexham	4	7.75

Kellow's the ace

TONY Kellow, Exeter's ace goalscorer

hat-trick in the FA Cup last month, wins the

In fact, Exeter have two other players in

the top six with John Delve and David Pullar

who sank First Division Leicester with a

both averaging 7.50 from six matches. Tony's average mark over six games was

7.83 with Swindon's Russell Lewis and

Charlton goalkeeper Nicky Johns next.

Third Division award.

FOURTH DIVISION

Steve Galliers	Wimbledon	5	8.20
Neil Ramsbottom	Bradford City	3	8.00
Peter Skipper	Darlington	4	7.75
Pat Cuff	Darlington	4	7.75
Pat Lally	Doncaster	3	7.66
Alex Cribley	Wigan	4	7.50
Kevan Smith	Darlington	4	7.50

GALLIERS STARS

WIMBLEDON'S Steve Galliers proved the outstanding player in the Fourth Division last month by taking the star rating in all his club's five matches.

His average mark of 8.20 just pipped Bradford City goalkeeper Neil Ramsbottom.

Darlington's presence is felt in the table with three players, Pat Cuff, Peter Skipper and Kevan Smith, in the top seven.

FIRST DIVISION

Player	Team G	ames	Aver
Kenny Burns	Nottm Forest	4	8.00
Tony McAndrew	Middlesbroug		7.80
Martyn Bennett	West Brom	5	7.80
Eric Gates	lpswich	5	7.80
Nicky Reid	Man City	4	7.75
Brian McDermott	Arsenal	3	7.66

Left: Wimbledon's Steve Galliers was star man in all the Fourth Division club's five matches last

Right: Dundee United's Eamon Bannon was the Scottish Premier Division's top player in January.

Bannon is tops!

DUNDEE United's Eamon Bannon averaged eight to take the Scottish Premier award from team mate Paul Sturrock runner-up for the past two months.

The former Chelsea midfield player received eight marks in all of Dundee United's three matches during the month.

SCOTTISH PREMIER

Eamon Bannon	Dundee United	3	8.00
Paul Sturrock	Dundee United	3	7.60
Tommy Burns	Celtic	5	7.40
Jim Hughes	Kilmarnock	5	7.40

THIRD DIVISION

Tony Kellow	Exeter	6	7.83
Russell Lewis	Swindon	3	7.66
Nicky Johns	Charlton	5	7.60
John Delve	Exeter	6	7.50
David Pullar	Exeter	6	7.50
Rodney Fern	Rotherham	5	7.40

RNROVER

BLACKBURN ROVERS have undergone a revival in fortunes since Howard Kendall took over as player-manager.

And the buoyant state of the Second Division club is

reflected in the programme they produce for the fans.
We looked at the magazine for a Friday game against
Lancashire rivals Preston and found it an informative, well produced issue.

For 30p you get 24 pages, with a colour picture on the front and background colour throughout.

The design for regular features, such as the visitors introduction and letters page, was very neat and attractive.

In the run-down on their opponents there was a special feature on striker Alex Bruce who they named as Preston's 'Dangerman'.

There was plenty for the facts and figures enthusiasts to get their teeth into, plus numerous interesting features and good pictures.

All in all the programme is a credit to the Second

Programme Guide

Star rating guide: ***** Superb **** Good *** Satisfactory ** Poor * Terrible

How the Blackburn programme fared: Content: ****; pictures: ****; colour: ***; information: ****; entertainment: ****; value for money: ****



MONTH AWARDS

is top man

KENNY Burns, Nottingham Forest's iron defender, is the first winner of the Match Weekly First Division Matchman of the Month award in 1981.

The Scottish player's outstanding performances at the centre of the defence during January helped Forest recapture the form that brought them two successive European Cup triumphs.

"The month didn't start too well for me as I was out of the team, but by the end of January we had beaten Manchester United in the FA Cup and I had scored one of the best goals of my career in the defect of Everton," says Kenny.

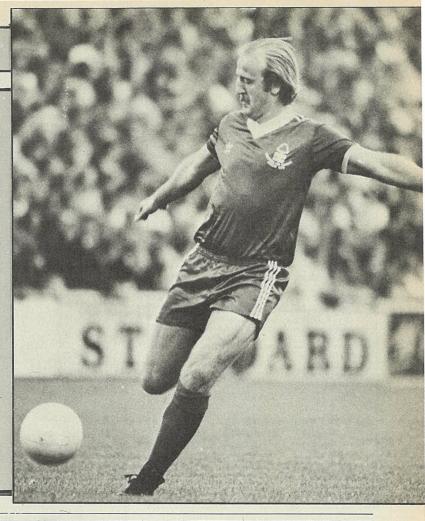
"At one time I didn't know whether I would be playing up front, at centre half or as a sweeper, but the main thing is that I am in the team and we are getting results.

"Beating Manchester United in the Cup was very important to us and I have been very satisfied with my own game although the rest of the lads must also take plenty of credit . . ."

Burns received the star rating in two of his four matches for an average mark of 8.00, just ahead of three players, including young West Brom defender Martyn Bennett.

He picked up an average mark of 7.80, the same as Middlesbrough skipper Tony McAndrew and Ipswich striker Eric Gates.

Kenny Burns' performances in his new role at the centre of Nottingham Forest's defence has won him the First Division Matchman of the Month award for January.



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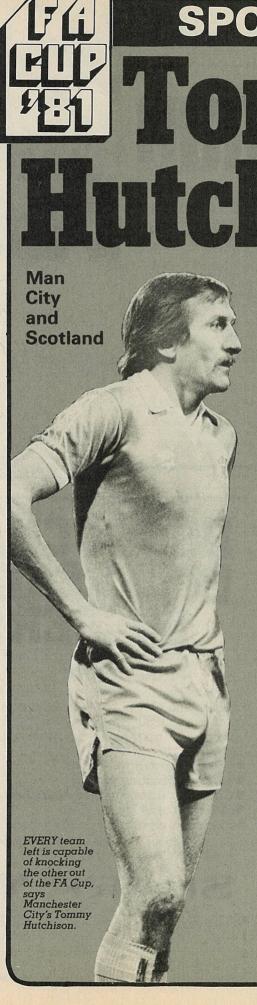
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SPOTLIGHT ON

TIGNSO!

'Their big pitch will suit us'

TOMMY HUTCHISON, the midfield inspiration behind Manchester City, will bring his team-mates down to earth as they travel to face Peterborough in the FA Cup.

He knows only too well that reputation and form counts for nothing when the big

day arrives.
"Last season when I was at Coventry we'd shocked the soccer world by beating League champions Liverpool — a week later we'd been dumped out of the Cup at the hands of Third Division Blackburn.

"So there's no way we'll be treating the trip to Peterborough as an automatic ticket to the quarter-finals," said Tommy.
"At this stage of the competition we're

past the easy teams — every side is capable

of knocking the other out.
"I don't know much about Peterborough, but I've read rave reports on their young striker Robbie Cooke and he'll be one to

watch.

"We must not underestimate them," said Tommy, who has helped transform City since his early season move from Coventry.

"Realistically it's still a good draw for us and although I'd have preferred them at Maine Road, I've played a couple of friendlies on their ground and it's a big pitch that will suit our style."

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City, after starting the season as relegation favourites, are now tipped by many to be heading for Wembley and FA

Cup glory.

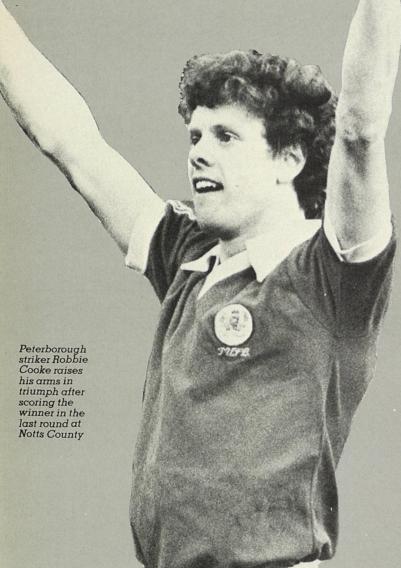
"Since John Bond arrived the team has been playing very well and despite the odd injury to key players we've managed to keep going," said Tommy.

One player who will be sadly missed for the rest of the season is Phil Boyer, who was carried off against Norwich in the previous round of the Cup.

Great day for Posh veteran

'ERBOROUGH v MAN CITY **X** MATCH WEEKLY throws the spotlight on

the danger men in the glamour tie of the FA Cup Fifth Round . . .



THE FA Cup highlight of 36-year-old Tommy Robson's 13 years with Fourth Division Peterborough was the fourth round visit to Manchester United in 1976.

Peterborough bravely went down 3-1, but it was a day to remember for the little club.

Now the former Northampton, Chelsea and Newcastle winger hopes the visit of United's rivals Manchester City to London Road in Saturday's fifth round will top that exciting occasion at Old

"It would be great for me in my testimonial year to help topple Manchester City and get into the

sixth round," says Tommy, who thought his League playing days were numbered earlier this season.

Manager Peter Morris recalled him to his promotion-seeking side in November and Tommy duly responded with several crucial goals, including three in the cup, two against his first League club Northampton.

So veteran Tommy will be tackling John Bond's men with the same enthusiasm as when he made his cup debut 20 years ago.

"I just love playing football, whether it be against a top club like Manchester City or against a tiny non-league club," he says. Peterborough's

FULL NAME: Robert Leslie Cooke

BIRTHPLACE/DATE: Rotherham, February 16, 1957. HEIGHT/WEIGHT: 5ft 9ins/10st 8lbs.

HEIGHT/WEIGHT: 5it 9ins/10st 8ibs.

MARRIED: Yes, to Linda.

CHILDREN: Lyndsey Anne, born last September.

CAR: Ford Capti.

PREVIOUS CLUBS: Mansfield Town and Grantham.

TRADE BEFORE TURNING PRO: Plumbing and heating equipment Salesman.

CLUB NICKNAME: 'Robbie' or 'Cookie'.

WORST EVER INJURY: Ankle ligament damage.

FAVOURITE FOOTBALL LEAGUE PLAYER AND WHY: Kevin Keegan —

FAVOURITE OTHER TEAM: Liverpool.
FAVOURITE FOREIGN PLAYER AND WHY: Gerd Muller — for his

finishing ability. BEST ALL-TIME BRITISH TEAM: All the present Liverpool side plus Kevin

Keegan.
ALL-TIME INTERNATIONAL TEAM: Clemence (England), Vogts,
Beckenbauer (W. Germany), Moore (England), Marinho (Brazil), Keegan
(England), Benetti (Italy), Brady (Eire), Cruyff (Holland), Pele (Brazil), G.
Muller (W. Germany).

FAVOURITE AWAY GROUND: Mansfield.
FAVOURITE FOREIGN STADIUM AT WHICH YOU HAVE PLAYED:
Haarlem FC, Holland.
BEST GOAL SCORED: First of two against Southend at Peterborough in

October last year.

BEST GOAL SEEN SCORED: First of two against Southend at Peterborough to October last year.

BEST GOAL SEEN SCORED: Ted MacDougall's flying header for Bournemouth against Aston Villa about ten years ago.

MOST DIFFICULT OPPONENT: Larry Lloyd (Nott'm Forest).

MOST MEMORABLE MATCH: League Cup second round home leg 1-1 draw with Nottingham Forest this season.

OWN MAGIC MOMENT IN FOOTBALL: Scoring against Nottingham

Forest this season. BIGGEST DISAPPOINTMENT: Being given free transfer by Mansfield

Town.
FAVOURITE OTHER SPORTS: Cricket and tennis.

LIKES: Eating, music and my dog, Jasper.
DISLIKES: Travelling back from games after losing.
FAVOURITE TV SHOW: Star Trek.
TV SHOW YOU ALWAYS SWITCH OFF: Show jumping and wrestling.

FAVOURITE READING: Sporting autobiographies.
FAVOURITE MUSICIAN/SINGER: ELO, Roxy Music and Genesis.
FAVOURITE FOOD: Beef.
FAVOURITE DRINK: Beer.
BEST COUNTRY VISITED: Sicily.
FAVOURITE ACTOR/ACTRESS: James Coburn, Victoria Principal.
BEST FILM SEEN IN PAST YEAR: Alien, Close Encounters.
BEST FRIEND: My wife.
BIGGEST INFLUENCE ON CAREER: Peterborough manager Peter Morris and my family.

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WHAT DON'T YOU LIKE ABOUT FOOTBALL: Hooliganism and inconsistent referees and linesmen.

SUPERSTITIONS: Usually come out third from last.

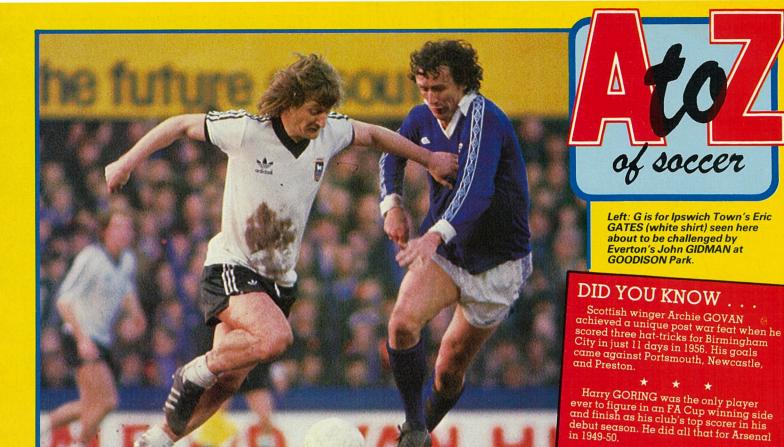
PRE-MATCH MEAL: Poached eggs on toast.

PROFESSIONAL AMBITION: To play a higher grade of football, preferably with Peterborough.

PERSONAL AMBITION: To secure a good life for my family and be happy. CAREER AFTER PLAYING: I've got no idea at the moment. PERSONAL AMBITION: To secure a good the for my family duck. CAREER AFTER PLAYING: I've got no idea at the moment. A PLAYER FOR THE FUTURE: Colin Walsh (Nottingham Forest). WHO WOULD YOU MOST LIKE TO MEET: Kevin Keegan.

WHO WOOLD TOO MOST LIKE TO MELT. Kevin keegdii.
ADVICE TO YOUNGSTERS: Listen carefully to advice and train hard.

GEVELAN BACK ROW, Left to right: Micky BURNS, Graeme HEDLEY, Irving NATTRASS. Mark PROCTOR, Craig JOHNSTON. MIDDLE ROW: John CODDINGTON (trainer), Peter JOHNSON, Billy ASHCROFT, Ian BAILEY, Mike ANGUS, David SHEARER, Charles BELL, Lew CLAYTON (trainer), Harold SHEPHERDSON (assistant manager). FRONT: David ARMSTRONG, John CRAGGS, Jim STEWART, John NEAL (manager), Jim PLATT, Tony McANDREW, David HODGSON. CIPHIM ALL STATE CHATSUM CHENERAND CHINEAN DATSUM DATSUN CHEVELAND



Right: G is for GOALS like this cracker from West Brom's Peter Barnes (second left) against Manchester City last season.



• GIANTKILLERS, the little teams like non-league Yeovil, Fourth Division
Peterborough and Hereford, who cause so
much Cup excitement by knocking out the

much Cup excitement by knocking out the bigger clubs.

GROUNDS such as Brighton's GOLDSTONE, Bury's GIGG LANE, and Brentford's GRIFFIN PARK.

GERRY GOW, Manchester City's aggressive midfield signing from Bristol

City who was born in . . .

GLASGOW, home of 'Old Firm' rivals Celtic and Rangers.

• G also stands for GOALS, what the

crowds come to see And the GREATEST GOALSCORER of modern times, Jimmy GREAVES, who scored 357 goals in 516 games for Chelsea, Spurs

and West Ham.

GOALKEEPERS, the men who try to stop goals going in, like West Brom's Tony GODDEN, who hasn't missed a League game for the club since August 20, 1977.

WEST GERMANY, 1980 European champions and World Cup winners in 1974.

GRIMSBY TOWN, whose Pat GLOVER holds the club's record for highest number of the club should be club.

holds the club's record for highest number of League goals in a season, the most aggregate League goals and the most international appearances.



nickname of Arsenal who were the last club to win the League and FA Cup double in

 And their former star Charlie GEORGE, who scored the winning goal for them in the 1971 FA Cup Final but now plays for

Southampton.

Ron GREENWOOD, the England manager who hopes to lead his team to World Cup GLORY in Spain next year.

Right: G is for Wolves' £1 million-plus rated goalscorer Andy GRAY, who grabbed the GLORY at Wembley last year by scoring his side's League Cup final winner.



Above: The rout is complete as Manchester City captain Paul Power (far right) lobs Norwich keeper Clive Baker to make it 6-0 to the men from Maine Road.

GOAL

Above: Cup delight as Charlton's Colin Powell (left) and goalscorer Peter Shaw salute the crowd after taking an early lead against Fulham at Craven Cottage. The home side equalised just after half time, but Derek Hales hit Charlton's winner to put the Third Division leaders through.

Below: The hopes of the Liverpool fans were raised at this moment when substitute Jimmy Case (on for Kenny Dalglish) avoided the lunging tackle of Everton's John Bailey to knock the ball over the line and pull the score back to 2-1 . . . but that's the way the match finished and Liverpool were out.

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THIS bold sketch of Match columnist Glenn Hoddle was drawn by 14-year-old Gavin Barnes of Headley, Berks, who says of the Spurs midfielder: "Glenn deserves a place in Star Gallery because he will become a great international and this sketch could be a souvenir to others as well as myself. I support Spurs and Glenn is my favourite player.

THIRTEEN-year-old Jonathan Holbrooke-Jones of Tiverton, Devon, drew this picture (right) of West Brom captain John Wile and says: "He's a good captain for Albion because of his personality, talent and courage. He gives 100 per cent in every game and that's why he keeps smiling.



MANCHESTER United's Ray Wilkins is a great favourite to Miss S Jones, of Wythenshawe, Manchester. "He adds extra vision and class to United and England," she says.

Send your work of art to: Star Gallery, Match Weekly, Midgate House, Midgate, Peterborough.

If you want your drawing returned, please remember to send a stamp addressed envelope.



GRAHAM Shepherd (11) of Grange-over-Sands, Cumbria, sent us this drawing of West Ham's Phil Parkes and says of the Hammers keeper: "He's quick to get down to the low shots and he's not afraid of injury when diving at opponent's feet."



PETER Shilton should be England's regular keeper, says 12-year-old Andrew Derbyshire of Billington, Lancs. Here's his drawing of the Nottingham Forest star.



- Which Fourth Division striker joined Newcastle for £150,00 in December last year?
- Who got Liverpool's winner against Manchester City in the League Cup semi-final first leg last
- Which former lpswich star is now playing with Grimsby?
- From what Scottish club did Stoke sign lain Munro.
- Who scored Everton's FA Cup winner against Liverpool in
- Which former Brighton striker joined Rotherham for £100,000 this season?
- Who did Dundee United defeat in this season's Scottish League Cup final?
- 8 Who ended Nottingham Forest's hopes of a fourth successive League Cup final appearance this season?
- Who scored England's goal in the 2-1 World Cup defeat in Rumania last October?
- Who did Northern Ireland defeat 3-0 in a World Cup qualifier in **Belfast last October**



Identify him for the answer to question 9

Woodcock, 10 Sweden. 7 Dundee, 8 Watford, 9 Tony Kennedy, 3 Trevor Whymark, 4 St Mirren, 5 Imre Varadi, 6 Tony Towner, Answers: 1 Mick Harford, 2 Ray

KEY MAN

If you re-arrange the letters below, revealed will be one of England's key players in the World Cup qualifying campaign.

LRSNIYWKIA

Answer: Ray Wilkins

SIGNAL

What is the linesmen's signal for a penalty?

a) Holds one arm by his side and puts flag in the air

b) Puts one arm across his chest.

c) Points flag towards the penalty

fuswer: b.

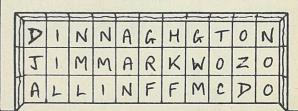
CAN you match these North East teams on the left with

the grounds on the right?

- Newcastle 2) Darlington
- 3) Middlesbrough
- 4) Sunderland
- a) Ayresome Park
- b) Roker Park
- c) St James Park
- d) Feethams
- Answers: 1/c, 2/d, 3/a, 4/b

Finders Keepers

The names of three famous goalkeepers have each been split into three parts with each part being put on a different line in the net though the parts may not run in order from top to bottom. Can you find the keepers?



(2,3,1) DIN-O ZO-FF (1,2,3) Solution JIM-MCDO-NAGH (lines 2, 3, 1) MARK W-ALLIN-GTON Win a week's coaching with Gary Bailey

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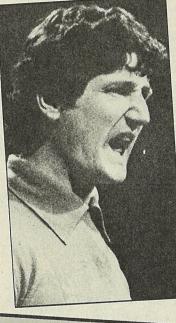
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TO ENTER

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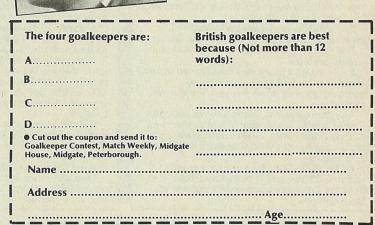
HERE is a list of League Cup winners from 1976-1980. One of them is incorrect, can you spot it?

1976 — Norwich 1977 — Aston Villa

1978 — Nottingham Forest 1979 — Nottingham Forest

1980 — Wolves

NOTWICH Manchester City not Answer: 1976 was



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Manchester City, meanwhile, were bottom of the First Division and - after struggling for survival the season before were already being labelled relegation fodder.

The circumstances will be very different when we meet in the derby game at Maine Road a week on Saturday.

In fact, for the first time in a couple of

years we'll probably start the match as the 'underdogs' because of City's great form in the second half of the season.

Our rivals have always had talent — it's just that it wasn't being brought out before. The form of City striker Kevin Reeves is a

classic example.

Kevin's a nice bloke and I'm pleased to see him doing so well again and scoring goals . . . so long as he doesn't find the net against us!

Any game against City is always a tough fixture and it may be even more so this time, but the pride of Manchester is at stake and we'll be going out with that extra little bit of aggression.

As far as United's fans are concerned victory will be that bit more important because City have been grabbing most of the headlines.

Keep on the ball with the Manchester United and young England goalkeeper by reading his regular column . . . it's only in Match.



And there's no doubt that they can play a big part in our performance on the day. hey were marvellous when we played Brighton in the third round of the FA Cup at

We were 2-0 down, but thanks to their urgings from the terraces we hauled ourselves back into the game to force a replay which we eventually went on to win.

While I'm on the subject of fans it has been suggested that City's revival could lure the public away from Old Trafford.

I'm sure it won't. They are two very different sets of supporters — most of theirs come from Manchester itself and most of ours are from out of town.

Anyway it's how we play that matters — not what City are doing — and our fans are so fanatical they'll never leave United.

And, while some of our results haven't gone the way we would have liked this season, I can't believe that we are not an even better side than we were last term when we finished second to Liverpool in the

League.
We still have a place in Europe to aim for and ideally what I'd like to see now is lpswich lift the FA Cup, Liverpool win the European Cup and Aston Villa take the

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RECORD DEFEAT: 0-9 v Notts County, Division Three (South), October 16, 1948 and v Northampton, v Division Three (South), April 12, 1958.
MOST LEAGUE POINTS: 62, Division Four, 1976-77.

1976-77. MOST LEAGUE GOALS: 88, Division Three

Tony Kellow, Exeter's hat-trick hero against Leicester in an FA Cup fourth round replay, proudly displays the match ball with jubilant team mates after the 3-1 victory at St James' Park.

HIGHEST LEAGUE SCORER IN SEASON: Fred Whitlow, 34, Division Three (South) 1932-33. MOST GOALS IN TOTAL AGGREGATE: Alan Banks, 105, 1963-66, 1967-73. MOST CAPPED PLAYER: Dermot Curtis, 1

(17), Eire. MOST LEAGUE APPEARANCES: Arnold Mitchell, 495, 1952-66. RECORD TRANSFER FEE RECEIVED:

#ECOURD HAMSFER FEE HEGEIVED: #105,000 from Blackpool for Tony Kellow, November 1978. RECORD TRANSFER FEE PAID: £65,000 to Blackpool for Tony Kellow, March 1980. MANAGERS SINCE THE WAR: George

MANAGERS SINCE THE WAR: George Roughton, Norman Kirkman, Norman Dodgin, Bill Thompson, Frank Broome, Glen Wilson, Cyril Spires, Jack Edwards, Ellis Studdard, Jock Basford, Frank Broome, John Newman, Bobby Saxton, Brian Godfrey (present). ADDRESS OF SUPPORTERS CLUB: Same as

football club. ADDRESS OF CLUB SHOP: The 'Near Post', 2 Blackbury Road, Exeter.

MATCH WEEKLY

AS UNITED'S conquerors in the fourth round of the FA Cup it would be nice to see Nottingham Forest go all the way to Wembley.

They may just do that, but I reckon both Southampton and Ipswich are better bets to lift the trophy.

Forest played quite well against us in the up—especially in the first 45 minutes.
But they don't appear to be the force they

once were . . . even at home.
We pummelled them in the second half and, but for the fine performances of Peter Shilton in goal and Kenny Burns in the centre of their defence, we might well have come away with the result we wanted. As for Forest, they play Bristol City at

Left: Peter Shilton — seen here in action against Arsenal's John Hollins — had a fine game against United in the fourth round of the FA Cup.

home in the fifth round on Saturday and that must give them a great chance of going into

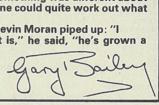
However, they may need a couple of nice draws after that to go all the way . . .

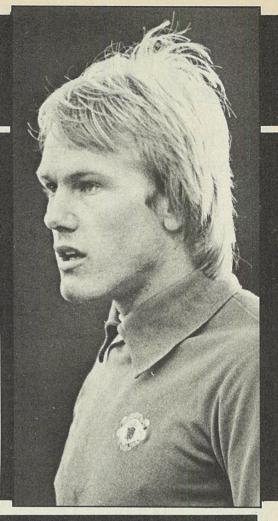
Garry has clean look

UNITED striker Garry Birtles had us all guessing when he arrived for training the morning after shaving off his beard.

We knew something was different about him, but no-one could quite work out what

Suddenly Kevin Moran piped up: "I know what it is," he said, "he's grown a moustache!





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ENGLISH LEAGUE

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Man. United	29	8	4	3	7	2	5	71	51	36
Arsenal	29	10	1	3	6	3	6	68	45	36
Bolton	27	10	1	3	3	6	4	50	41	33
West Brom	26	4	4	4	8	4	2	61	40	32
Blackpool	27	6	7	0	5	3	6	41	31	32
Preston	29	8	1	5	6	3	6	52	51	32
Nottm For	27	8	2	3	6	1	7	53	37	31
West Ham	27	9	11	3	4	2	8	59	51	29
Blackburn	27	7	2	4	4	5	5	54	49	29
Birmingham	27	8	1	4	4	3	7	48	48	28
Leeds	29	4	6	4	6	1	8	39	52	27
Burnley	27	6	3	5	4	3	6	49	50	26
Chelsea	28	9	1	4	3	1	10	54	66	26
Newcastle	28	7	1	6	4	2	8	56	57	25
Everton	28	7	2	5	4	1	9	47	62	25
Luton	26	7	4	3	1	4	7	45	40	24
Tottenham	28	5	1	8	3	4	7	51	68	21
Leicester	27	5	4	5	2	3	8	45	64	21
Man. City	28	6	5	3	1	2	11	43	66	21
Portsmouth	28	5	3	6	1	3	10	44	69	18
Aston Villa	28	5	3	7	2	1	10	41	68	18

DIVISION TWO		HO	ME				A	WA۱	1	
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Fulham	29	12	1	2	6	3	5	67	47	40
Liverpool	28	11	1	1	7	1	7	60	41	38
Stoke	28	12	1	1	3	3	8	53	41	34
Sheff. Untd.	27	10	1	2	4	4	6	53	30	33
Derby	30	9	1	4	4	6	6	54	56	33
Cardiff	27	11	1	3	4	1	7	49	41	32
Bristol City	28	7	2	5	6	2	6	58	48	30
Bristol Rovers	28	7	3	3	4	4	7	53	45	29
Charlton	28	9	2	3	3	3	8	61	61	29
Sunderland	29	10	2	4	2	2	9	48	55	28
Swansea	28	8	4	2	2	3	9	54	53	27
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lpswich	28	7	2	5	4	2	8	42	48	26
Huddersfield	29	9	2	4	1	3	10	42	44	25
Middlesbrough	28	6	4	4	3	2	9	58	49	24
Barnsley	28	7	3	4	2	2	10	41	57	23
Scunthorpe	29	6	5	3	2	2	11	36	56	23
Grimsby	26	6	4	3	1	3	9	46	57	21
Leyton Orient	29	5	2	. 7	2	3	10	41	61	19
Lincoln	29	7	3	5	0	1	13	43	71	18
Rotherham	27	5	3	5	1	2	11	29	58	17

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Plymouth	30	11	4	0	5	7	3	63	37	43
Southend	32	9	5	2	6	2	8	58	50	37
Colchester	29	10	2	3	2	8	4	50	38	34
Brentford	29	9	4	2	3	6	5	37	30	34
Southampton	31	8	5	2	4	4	8	70	52	33
Bury	31	8	6	2	4	2	9	53	42	32
Reading	31	10	4	2	2	4	9	47	41	32
Chesterfield	32	7	5	4	5	3	8	52	48	32
Bournemouth	33	10	5	2	3	1	12	50	53	32
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Norwich	28	7	4	4	4	4	5	49	41	30
Accrington	29	7	4	3	4	4	7	48	41	30
Halifax	29	7	3	3	6	1	9	47	55	30
Swindon	29	9	2	5	2	5	6	36	34	29
Bradford City	29	7	4	4	4	3	7	52	50	29
Newport	28	10	1	3	1	6	8	47	47	29
Mansfield	30	9	2	4	2	5	8	53	65	29
Wrexham	30	8	3	3	2	5	9	46	54	28
Q.P.R.	30	7	4	3	3	2	11	45	61	26
Stockport	30	6	4	5	3	2	10	45	54	24
Notts. County	30	4	8	4	2	3	9	41	63	23
Doncaster	31	7	1	3	6	1	1	15	32	65
Rochdale	31	5	4	6	0	3	13	28	61	17

DIVISION FOUR		HC	OME				A	WA	Y	
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Coventry	30	12	2	1	5	5	5	66	30	41
Port Vale	29	8	4	3	9	3	2	73	40	41
Exeter	27	12	2	0	5	3	5	59	33	39
York	30	8	5	1	6	5	5	51	34	38
Millwall	32	11	1	4	6	3	7	57	43	38
Shrewsbury	32	8	3	3	7	4	7	64	47	37
Crystal Palace	31	8	7	1	4	3	8	58	52	34
Northampton	30	9	3	2	4	4	8	56	57	33
Chester	31	7	4	5	5	5	5	55	57	33
Walsall	29	7	2	4	6	3	7	59	54	31
Gillingham	30	9	4	3	3	3	8	53	51	31
Darlington	30	5	5	5	5	5	5	47	45	30
Bradford	33	12	0	4	2	2	13	55	55	30
Watford	31	6	4	6	5	3	7	58	54	29
Carlisle	26	6	4	4	5	3	4	36	37	29
Torquay	29	7	3	5	3	5	6	56	54	28
Workington	30	6	7	2	2	4	9	45	50	27
Aldershot	32	5	4	7	4	3	9	46	65	25
Hartlepool	32	6	3	8	3	3	9	45	68	24
Gateshead	30	7	1	7	3	3	9	39	67	24
Oldham	30	9	0	6	1	2	12	43	57	22
Crewe	31	6	4	5	2	2	12	41	65	22
Barrow	32	3	5	8	3	4	9	40	70	21
Southport	31	7	5	4	0	2	13	34	61	21

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

DIVISION ONE	HOME						1	٩W/	Y	
	P	W	D	L	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Rangers	24	8	2	1	8	3	2	70	35	37
Motherwell	24	8	4	1	5	4	2	66	37	34
Hearts	22	7	2	3	5	3	2	64	40	29
Airdrie	24	7	0	5	6	2	4	49	44	28
Partick	24	7	2	4	4	2	5	43	36	26
Kilmarnock	24	7	3	2	3	3	6	39	34	26
Dundee	24	7	4	1	3	2	7	40	36	26
Hibernian	24	6	2	3	5	1	7	54	52	25
Celtic	22	6	3	1	2	3	7	51	41	22
Third Lanark	22	4	2	4	5	2	5	53	56	22
Stirling	25	5	3	4	3	3	7	44	54	22
Aberdeen	22	6	2	4	3	1	6	48	39	21
Falkirk	25	5	2	6	4	1	7	37	5	21
Dunfermline	24	4	3	6	3	3	5	42	57	20
St. Mirren	22	2	3	5	4	3	5	38	50	18
Raith	24	5	2	4	1	4	8	43	58	18
Clyde	24	5	1	7	2	2	7	43	49	17
Queen of the South	24	2	3	7	2	1	9	26	77	12

DIVISION TWO	HOME				AWAY					
	P	W	D	L	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Ayr	24	10	1	2	10	1	0	88	34	42
Arbroath	23	10	2	0	7	1	3	63	37	37
Dumbarton	25	6	3	2	7	3	4	69	44	32
Brechin	26	7	3	3	5	3	5	61	46	30
Hamilton	22	5	3	3	6	2	3	46	27	27
East Fife	25	10	0	4	1	5	5	65	55	27
Stenhousemuir	23	7	2	2	4	1	7	54	52	25
Forfar	25	6	4	3	2	4	6	53	66	24
Berwick	25	8	2	3	2	2	8	39	49	24
Morton	23	5	4	3	4	1	6	43	54	23
Alloa	22	7	1	3	1	4	6	52	51	21
Albion	23	6	1	3	2	4	7	60	60	21
St. Johnstone	23	4	5	2	3	2	7	31	36	21
Stranraer	23	6	3	5	0	4	5	46	51	19
Dundee United	26	5	3	4	1	3	10	47	60	18
E. Stirling	23	5	4	2	1	1	10	32	53	17
Cowdenbeath	23	4	1	5	3	1	9	31	53	16
Queen's Park	24	5	2	5	0	3	9	34	55	15
Montrose	26	4	2	7	2	1	10	39	71	15

IPSWICH Town's chances of winning the First Division championship must be better this season than ever before.

We finished third last season, but not every player was playing well regularly.
What's happening now is that we have

eleven players playing very well week in, week out.

And on top of that we are enjoying playing what we feel is attractive football for the

But it's not something that has happened overnight — it's been a gradual progression over the past two years since manager Bobby Robson modified the formation slightly to play Eric Gates just off the strikers.

Take goalkeeper Paul Cooper. If he had a fault it was keeping his concentration, but this season he's been fantastic.

He's been very, very consistent whenever he's been called upon to make a save.

The back four have been as solid as a

In fact, it's frightening to think what central defenders Terry Butcher and Russell Osman may go on to achieve when you consider they are really only kids still learning the game!
And don't forget full-back George Burley

— he's so under-rated.
For a midfield player John Wark's
goalscoring record this season is really remarkable.

And he's not a selfish player . . . he's always chasing back to defend.

John's a box to box player — one of the best central midfield players in the country.

I reckon if Scotland played John and Liverpool's Graeme Souness together in midfield they'd form a formidable duo.

I could go on and on, right through the whole team

But our rivals needn't think we have any inflated opinions of ourselves . . . our feet are still firmly on the ground.



Trevor Francis in action for Nottingham Forest - it's suggested he and Paul Mariner would form a lethal pairing up front for England.

That title...why we'll never have a better chance FOUR OF THE BEST FOR IPSWICH



HAVING had a bit of a fright at Shrewsbury in the last round, I'm more than delighted Ipswich have home advantage against Third Division Charlton in the fifth round of the F.A. Cup on Saturday.

That's not to say we won't be on our guard because they are obviously playing with a lot of confidence and will raise their game on the day.

game on the day.
When you are playing with confidence you can do almost

We are also playing with a great deal of confidence and didn't mind who we received in the draw so long as we were at Portman Road. We're capable of defeating any



Full-back George Burley — so under-rated.

Glad to be at home

Charlton are going well in the Third Division and have quite a few quality players.

I've played against midfield player Dick Tydeman several times when at Plymouth and he's a good player. Derek Hales may not have scored many goals in the First Division with Derby but he's always capable of putting away half-chances.

I would certainly have been concerned had we been drawn away from home.



John Wark — remarkable goal record.



Russell Osman — frightening potential.

Diany of milen a super striker

PAUL

MARINER

IPSWICH and ENGLAND

Team spirit key to England hopes

TREVOR Francis' great comeback from injury for Nottingham Forest has really set the football world talking.

And it's already been suggested that Trevor and myself would form a good partnership up front for England.

For my own part I don't mind who I play alongside when I'm wearing my country's colours I'm just happy to be in the

Having said that, if we did get together again soon it could take off as a partnership.

I've played alongside Trevor on three occasions in the past against Luxembourg in 1977 and against Wales and Scotland in 1978—and I think our styles would complement each other.

Whatever the future holds I'm delighted to see him back in action again. It was so sad when he was sidelined by injury.

Having scored on my last two appearances for England it goes without saying that I want to remain part of the set-up with everything leading up to the World Cup finals in Spain in 1982.

My role for both Ipswich and England is the same and knowing the other lads so well it's almost like playing with my club.

But it must be every kid's dream to become England's centre forward and a long line of great players have worn the number nine shirt.

I just want to make sure I don't let the side down!

Of course, the big question is can England go on and win the World Cup?

As everyone knows England had an indifferent time in the European Championship finals in Italy last year and I think the lads are still smarting a little over that.

But the team spirit over there last June was tremendous and if that same spirit can be achieved on the World Cup trail then England must be in with a chance.

I'll be back in a fortnight to reveal our preparations for the UEFA Cup quarter final clash with crack French club St. Etienne

See you then . . .

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The Peterborough United squad who are hoping to topple First Division

Manchester City in the fifth round of the

F.A. Cup on Saturday: Back row (left to right) — Jim Barron (coach), Graham Scarff (youth coach), Trevor Slack, Alan Guy, Dave Syrett, Tony Smith, Dave McVay, Keith Waugh, Gordon Hodgson, John Winters, Alan Slough, Ian Phillips, Colin Foster, Jackie Gallagher, John Lattimer (coach/physio). Seated: Mick Gynn, Tony Cliss, Trevor Quow, Billy Kellock, Peter Morris (manager), Steve Collins, Phil Chard, Robbie Cooke, Tommy Robson. Back row (left to right) — Jim Barron

e Giant-killers

- 1956/57 Went out in fourth round at
 Huddersfield after defeating Corby,
 Yeovil, Bradford and Lincoln.

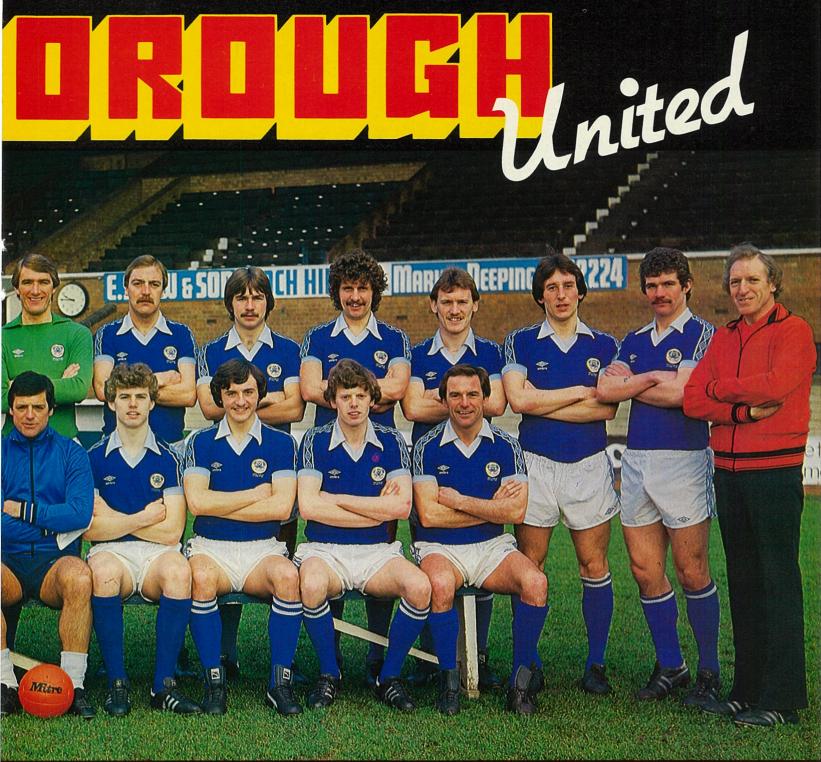
 1957/58 Went out in first round at Torquay.

 1958/59 Went out in third round at home to
 Fulham after defeating Walthamstow,
 Kettering and Headington.

 1959/60 Went out in fourth round at Sheffield
 Wednesday after defeating
 Shrewsbury, Walsall and Ipswich.

 1960/61 Went out in fourth round at Aston Villa
 after defeating Dover, Torquay and
- after defeating Dover, Torquay and Portsmouth.
- Went out in fourth round at home to Sheffield United after defeating Colchester, Torquay and Newcastle. 1961/62 -

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round at home to r defeating Falmouth

round at Bristol Rovers.

- Went out in fourth round at Gillingham
 after defeating Falmouth, Plymouth
 and Rotherham.
 Went out in second round at Wigan
 after defeating Wimbledon.
 Went out in third round at home to
 Ipswich after defeating Redditch and
 Enfield.
- 1970/71 -
- Went out in third round at home to Derby after defeating Northampton and Bishop's Stortford. Went out in fourth round at home to
- 1973/74 -Leeds after defeating Colchester,
- Wycombe and Southend. Went out in fifth round at Middlesbrough after defeating 1974/75 -

- Weymouth, Charlton, Tranmere and Stafford Rangers. Went out in fourth round at Manchester United after defeating Winsford, Coventry Sporting and Forest Went out in second round at Northwich 1975/76
- 1976/77 -
- after defeating Tranmere. Went out in third round at Newcastle after defeating Barnet and Gillingham. 1977/78
- Went out in first round at Southend. Went out in first round at home to 1978/79 1979/80
- Bournemouth. Face Manchester City in fifth round after defeating Northampton, Barnet, Chesterfield and Notts County. 1980/81 -



Everton—all the way to Wembley!

SOUTHAMPTON v EVERTON

SAYS STRIKER VARADI

EVERTON cup hero Imre Varadi has his own Valentine's Day message for Southampton . . .

Saints play in red, Everton in blue, but

down at the Dell we can go through.
Says Imre: "We've not had much luck in
the draw — you expect at least one smaller
club in the early rounds.

"But after beating Arsenal and then Liverpool I'm confident we can go all the

However the man who scored what turned out to be Everton's winner against rivals Liverpool in the last round is well aware of the threat 'Saints' pose.

He added: "It's going to be a difficult match for us because Southampton are in form at the moment.

"Kevin Keegan is going to be a great danger now that he's back to full fitness and I also rate their young striker Steve Moran he seems to have a real eye for a goal."

I said before the last round that if Everton beat Liverpool they deserved to reach Wembley.

However, I fancy free-scoring 'Saints' on their own ground will prove too big a hurdle to climb . . .

Just for the record there have been four

previous FA Cup meetings: Southampton won 3-0 in 1899-1900 and 3-2 in 1907-08; Everton won 3-1 in 1901-02 and 1904-05.

WOLVES v WREXHAM

THE battle of the 'W's' continues at Molineux where Wolves must now overcome Wrexham after disposing of Watford in a fourth round replay.

And with Scottish international striker Andy Gray back in the side after injury and hungry to make up for lost time the First Division side should prove too strong for the Welsh team who are much more of a force on their own ground.

on their own ground.

But I don't think the Wanderers will find victory quite as easy as they did in their one and only other FA Cup clash with Wrexham 50 years ago . . . that day they won 9-1!

Right: Andy Gray — Wolves key to FA Cup success against Wrexham on Saturday.



STRIFFICATION Saturday February 14

Match	My forecast	Your forecast	Dad's forecast	RESULT
Ipswich v Charlton	2-0		÷	
Middlesbro' v Barnsley	3-1			
Newcastle v Exeter	1-1			
Nott'm F v Bristol C	4-0			
Peterboro' v Man City	1-2			
S'ton v Everton	2-1			
Spurs v Coventry	2-1			
Wolves v Wrexham	3-0			
Celtic v Stirling Albion	2-0			
Morton v Aberdeen	1-3			

WHO WON THIS WEEK POINTS SCORED Aggregate scores carried forward to next week PAUL PAUL YOURSELF YOURSELF DAD DAD

SPURS v COVENTRY

SURPRISINGLY these two teams nave never met before in the FA Cup.

The Sky Blues are capable of some exciting football and their fighting spirit was all too clear in their marvellous comeback against West Ham in the League Cup semi-final first leg, but attack-minded Spurs are worth at least a couple of goals at White Hart Lane and now much tighter defensively they should make Monday's draw.

IPSWICH v CHARLTON

IPSWICH Town's FA Cup and League double hopes should remain intact after this one.

Shrewsbury gave the First Division club a bit of a fright in the last round and Charlton could prove even tougher, but the all-round class of Ipswich will tell in the end.

MIDDLESBROUGH v BARNSLEY

THE YORKSHIRE club made hard work of Enfield in the last round and won't relish a trip to Ayresome Park one bit.

one bit.

It's the first time Barnsley have reached the fifth round since season 1963-64 and the draw might have been kinder. Boro' to go through with a comfortable win.

NEWCASTLE v EXETER

EXETER — Fifth Round contenders for the first time since season 1936-37 — could be the shock team of the day. If they can get a draw on Saturday and take Newcastle back to their place I fancy them to go through.

NOTT'M FOREST v BRISTOL CITY

CITY thrashed Carlisle 5-0 in the last round and they could find the boot on the other foot at Forest on Saturday. With Trevor Francis back to his best

With Trevor Francis back to his bes up front, and Kenny Burns doing the work of ten at the back Forest could have a field day.

PETERBOROUGH v MAN CITY

MANY people are looking to 'Posh' to pull off a shock and having written them off against Notts County in the last round I might be advised to take

City, however, are in a different class to County and even the tremendous support that's sure to be generated for the home side won't be enough to stop the Maine Road men marching on.



Unwanted

HOW DID you get into football? . . . Robin Kirkpatrick, Inverness, Scotland. CHARLIE: Well at one stage I didn't think

I'd make the grade at all, Robin. When I was 12 my late uncle, Tommy

Nicholas, took me along to Celtic Boys Club where I played for four years. But while the rest of my team-mates were being offered terms. I wasn't.

Most of them were offered schoolboy forms when they were 14 but I wasn't given an

opportunity to sign until I was 16.
In fact, during that time I had trials in
England with Ipswich and Wolves and both teams were keen on signing me.

Celtic were the team I supported as a lad and when they finally came in I was only too pleased to sign on the dotted line.

Just like Kenny?

IN A RECENT issue of 'Match' Danny McGrain compared you with Kenny Dalglish. How do you feel about that? . . . Duncan Mayhew, Rutherglen.

CHARLIE: That's quite a compliment Duncan — but I don't consider myself in the same class as the Liverpool and Scotland star. I don't think anyone could imitate his unique style of play — he's a natural.

Kenny's a great target man. Not only does he score great goals but he also sets them up for other people.

At the moment I'm still learning my trade

and I'm happy to play anywhere

RICHE

Magic moment

WHAT'S been the most memorable moment of your career so far?...Peter Grayson,
Newcastle, Tyne and Wear.
CHARLIE: That's got to be my first full game

for Celtic earlier this season against Diosgyoeri Miskolc in Hungary in the preliminary round of the European Cup. Although it was a dull match and we lost 2-1

(we beat them 7-2 on aggregate!) I scored.
I could have had two because after just a couple of minutes I found myself clean

through with only the goalkeeper to beat but I fluffed it!

The challengers

HOW DO you rate Celtic's chances of retaining the Scottish Cup this season? . . . Malcolm Fowler, Glasgow.
CHARLIE: We're through to the fourth

at home to First Division Stirling.

We should beat them quite easily, although there's still Aberdeen, Rangers and Dundee United left in the competition.

It's a good thing that teams like Aberdeen and Dundee United have begun to challenge for the honours in recent years. It makes the game up here more interesting and attracts

But we've still not given up hope of the Premier Division title — although we have to rely on leaders Aberdeen to drop points.

CELTIC

Thanks to Danny

I BELIEVE that you travel to the ground every morning with Celtic skipper Danny McGrain. How much of an influence has he been on your career? . . . John Garner,

CHARLIE: It seems to be a tradition for the skipper to give one of the youngsters a lift to training — and talking to Danny on the way to work has helped me enormously.

Danny has helped me to react properly to the pressure of first team football and make sure I don't get big-headed.

I hear that Kenny Dalglish used to go with Billy McNeill - I hope that's a good omen!

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Euro Cup

WHAT are your ambitions in the game and do you want to play in the English First
Division? . . . Harvey Cochrane, Stirling.
CHARLIE: I want to pick up as many
medals as I can with Celtic — starting with

the European Cup!

I'd love to win the European Cup but at the moment I'll settle for a League Championship medal.

Championship medal.
I've already got one Scotland Under-21 cap
and I'd love to earn a full cap for my country.
As for playing in England, Harvey, I've
still got a long way to go yet.
There's no doubt that the English league's
one of the best in the world and every player would like to play there.

I've no fears that I could adapt to the style of play but I'll cross the English bridge when I come to it.



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Francis can

IT'S great to see Trevor Francis making such a successful comeback after being out of the game for so long.

The England and Nottingham Forest striker has lost none of his old skill and seems to be scoring more goals than ever.

I saw his first game back against Sunderland and he showed some world class touches.

Now he's back in business Forest stand a really good chance of reaching the FA Cup Final.

His return is also good news for England because Trevor can lead us to Spain.

Martin Anderson, East Herrington, Sunderland.

Irish talent

WHEN are the English scouts in Ireland going to open their eyes?

There's a mass of talented footballers over here just waiting for a chance to join a Football League club.

The game in England is in a terrible state with only Aston Villa, Arsenal, Spurs and Everton playing any good football. Some of the players in Northern Ireland could help make the game more entertaining.

Reginald McBoone, Belfast, Northern Ireland.

Golden goof

LIVERPOOL 2, ALTRINCHAM 4 . . these are the things dreams are made of!

But if you look closely at the But If you look crosely at the cutting you'll notice a few more mistakes. Every single result of the recent F.A. Cup Third Round is

The goofs were spotted in an Irish (I) newspaper by Sean Williams, of Cork, Eire.



Rice was wrong

WATFORD's Pat Rice will regret turning down the job as Millwall's player-manager.

He's nearly at the end of his career and the Millwall job offered him an ideal opportunity to get into management.

I'll laugh when he finally hangs up his boots only to find that he can't get a job as a manager. Andy Young, Mapperley Park, Nottingham.

Venables unfair on Woods

I'M disgusted that Queens Park Rangers manager Terry Venables has dropped goalkeeper Chris Woods to make way for new signing John Burridge.

Chris is a future England goalkeeper and much better than the former Crystal Palace goalkeeper will ever be. It's unfair that Venables has

brought Burridge into the team when Chris was playing so well. Richard Bowen, Sedbury,

Chepstow, Gwent.



Past Greats

NEIL DREW (14) of Barton Bendish, King's Lynn, Norfolk, selects the following team of former Manchester United

ayers. Jimmy Rimmer (Aston Villa), players: Jimmy Rimmer (Aston Villa), Brian Greenhoff (Leeds), Ray O'Brien (Notts County), Jim Holton (Coventry), Stewart Houston (Sheffield Utd), Gerry Daly (Coventry), Dave McCreery (Queens Park Rangers), Stuart Pearson (West Ham), Andy Ritchie (Brighton), Johnathan Clark (Derby), Gordon Hill (Queens Park Rangers). JOHNATHAN BOWDEN (13),

of Abingdon, Oxford, selects this team of former Leeds Utd

players: David Stewart (Swansea), David Stewart (Swansea),
Peter Hampton (Stoke), Frank
Gray (Nottingham Forest), John
McGovern (Nottingham Forest),
Gordon McQueen (Manchester
Utd), Terry Yorath (Vancouver),
Alan Curtis (Swansea), John
Hawley (Sunderland), Joe Jordan
(Manchester Utd), Tony Currie (Manchester Utd), Tony Currie (Queens Park Rangers), Wayne Entwhistle (Blackpool).

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Booked!



CHRIS WOODS - unlucky to lose his first team place at Queens Park Rangers.

Ditraged!

THE FOOTBALL Association may have taken away my red and yellow cards but that doesn't stop me booking you!

All they've done is made me more determined to put pen to paper and book

An unly Vedone is missed in the constant of the party of you as I can.

Don't forget I'm Anthony Hawkswell and I'm in charge of the Outraged

column

And to make it more interesting I'll pay £5 to the person I send off and £2 to

each one I book. Send your letters to: Outraged, Match Weekly, Midgate House, Midgate, Peterborough

Why Wembley?

IT'S unfair to teams and supporters that the FA Cup Final should be played at Wembley.

The stadium should only be used for internationals and the Cup Final should be made into a two-leg affair so that both sides have a fair chance.

It would be less costly because the fans wouldn't have to travel to Wembley for the game.

Gary Page (14), Wednesbury, West

Midlands.

What drivel! You're sent off for making such a suggestion. The whole attraction of the Cup is a final place at Wembley.

Show us the glamour clubs

I'M outraged by Anglia Television's
'Match of the Week' programme.
Week after week they show boring
matches — always including one of their

unexciting regional sides dull news from the area. They should be covering the glamour

clubs such as Liverpool and Manchester United instead of Norwich and Luton. Andrew Cockerill (11), Northampton.

 You're booked. I watch Anglia and enjoy seeing the less fashionable teams for a change.





I'M FED up with England manager Ron Greenwood swapping goalkeepers.

He should make his choice between Ray Clemence and Peter Shilton and give the other to Scotland — we're desperate for one!

Yours desperately, Ali Hussain (an avid Scotland fan).

●Nice try! But we're keping a good grip on both our world class keepers. The thought of giving the Scots anything makes me shudder — you're booked!

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Palace turmo

I JUST can't believe what's happening at my old club,

Crystal Palace.
Many people have said I was right to leave when I did and looking at the present confused situation at Selhurst Park they could be right.

I still have great feelings for the club who gave me my chance in football, so it distresses me to see what's going on.

Since Terry Venables resigned as manager things have gone from bad to worse.

I think Terry was a big influence on chairman Ray Bloye. Once Terry went, Ray began to panic and in the end he sold out.

Terry's not only a good manager he's also an astute businessman who gets involved in the day to day running of the club.

Now, after being hailed as the team of the 80's — Crystal Palace find themselves on the floor and confidence at the lowest ebb for



Tony Woodcock (right) in action for England against Switzerland — the Cologne fans have been giving him some stick

That was the week that was Feb 12-19

FEBRUARY's the time when

soccer fans go cup crazy.
The middle of the month sees the deciding legs of the League Cup semi-finals and the FA Cup fifth round when fans get their first real sniff of Wembley.

Everton striker Bob Latchford has a couple of reasons to remember this time of the year . . and this corresponding week in particular.

February 14, 1974, saw Everton dish out £80,000 and send Howard Kendall (now player-manager at Blackburn) and Archie Styles (now Portsmouth) to Birmingham in exchange for Bob.

Three years later on February
15 he helped repay the fee by
scoring the only goal at Burnden
Park to send Everton to Wembley at the expense of Bolton Wanderers.

But there was to be no cup glory that year for Bob — Everton lost to Aston Villa in a League Cup Final second replay at Old Trafford.

This week is also the anniversary for a number of other magic moments in football . . .

● February 14, 1979 — Ipswich Town boss Bobby Robson signs his second Dutchman. He pays £200,000 to Twente Enschede for Frans Thiissen.

distresses me

New manager Dario Gradi has a big job ahead of him persuading players to stay with the club. Nearly half the first team have asked for a move!

I said a couple of months ago that it would do Palace good to go back into the Second Division, but now they have even bigger problems on their hands.

I don't know what will happen at Selhurst Park — I just hope they sort themselves out soon.

The Arsenal and England> international> writes just for you



Time for a chat with Tony

I HAD a quick chat with my England team-mate Tony
Woodcock on the half-way line at Highbury the other day.

We kept in trim, while other teams were locked in F.A. Cup combat, with a mid-week friendly against his crack West German side Cologne.

And from what Tony told me he's still enjoying life out there, although the crowd have been giving him some stick recently.

Although Cologne paraded their German internationals

Rainer Bonhof and Dieter Muller we beat them 1-0 with a first half goal from David O'Leary.

David only played one half, but it was good to see him back after achilles tendon trouble.

I enjoyed the game — I'd much rather play in a match than train.

Being out of the Cup has given me a couple of free Saturdays and although I'd rather still be in the competition I've enjoyed the time with my family

I took the wife and daughter out to see friends and then went for a drive - we don't get much chance to do that during the season normally.

Right: David O'Leary - scored from injury.



Arsenal's winner in the friendly against Cologne on his return

February 15, 1975 -Peterborough are in the Cup news again. The Fourth Division giantkillers hold Middlesbrough to a 1-1 draw.

 February 16, 1980 — cup shock for Wolves. Those tough-nut fighters Watford win 3-0 and Wolves centre-half John McAlle breaks his leg immediately after coming on as substitute.

● February 17, 1979 — terrible weather conditions wipe out the whole of the FA Cup fifth round - the first time in the competition's history that all the ties have been called off.

● February 19, 1977 — Ian Callaghan plays his 800th game for Liverpool and Jimmy Greenhoff becomes the first Manchester United player to score a hat-trick for three years when he hits three against Newcastle.

Righty Bob Latchford.



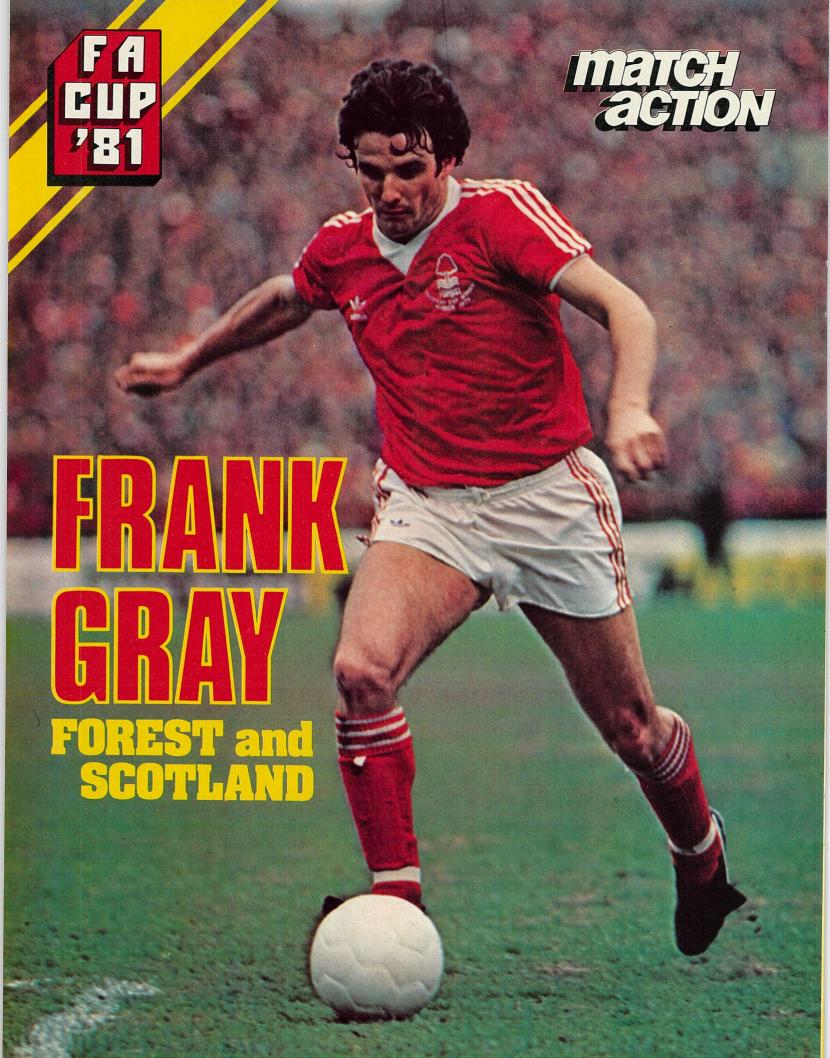
Struggle for Cruyff?

RUMOURS that Arsenal were set to sign the great Dutchman Johann Cruyff set the fans buzzing.

I was quite excited by the prospect myself because he's always been a hero of mine and I'd have loved the opportunity to play with him.

Anyway the deal fell through and on reflection I think he might have struggled to find his form in the First Division.

Having said that there's no doubt Arsenal need someone with his unique skills. Our midfield is still suffering from the loss of Liam Brady.







Willie Young, completes his stint at the Match Weekly Soccer School with some hints on shadowing opponents and nicking the ball.

Willie Young steps in to rob Manchester United's Joe Jordan. "Joe's great in the air," says Willie, "and with him and Peter Withe you've really got to be on your

Willie Young with his greatest fan . . . son Stephen.

'Me and my shadow job'

MOST of my business is done in

MOST of my business is done in Arsenal's penalty area — though I have been known to cause a bit of havoc at the other end — and it's important to be sharp in the tackle. I try whenever I can to stay on my feet and that's why a lot of my work is shadowing attackers then if possible nicking the ball away from them as they try to turn.

Always make an effort to guide your opponent to the side which favours you and make him do what you want. you and make him do what you want.
If it's a 'one on one' situation jockey
him and hold him up until support
arrives. Again get yourself a good
understanding with your 'keeper.
Kenny Dalglish of Liverpool is

Kenny Dalglish of Liverpool is probably the most difficult opponent in these situations, he's always twisting and turning, Peter Barnes, Tony Morley and Vince Hilaire are difficult little fellas, too, particularly Hilaire who's always trying to wrong foot you. However, with your eye on the ball, concentration and aggression you can make yourself into a frustrating barrier for forwards.

for forwards.

I hope my tips will assist you and that the advice will help you enjoy the game as much as I do.

Good luck.







. . Arsenal team-mate Kenny Sansom, is the attacker as Willie Young closes down the route to goal.

2... Sansom turns but Willie has anticipated the move ...

3...nicked the ball and guided it away to safety.

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Wednesday, Jan. 28 SCOTTISH FA Cup Third Round Replay

CLYDE (1) 2 (O'Neil 43, Evans 73)
PARTICK THISTLE (2) 4 (O'Hara 11,
Brogan, og 15, Clark 62, 64)
Att: 4,000
Clyde: Young 7, Brogan 6, Fillipi 7,
Dempsey 6, Kinnear 6, Ahern 7,
Dempster 6, kean 6, *MASTERTON
8, O'Neil 7, Evans 6.
Partick: Rough 7, McKinnon 7,
Whittaker 7, Campbell 6, Anderson 7,
Watson 6, McDonald 6, Jardine 6,
*O'HARA 8, Doyle 7, Clark 7.
Referee: T. Muirhead (Stenhousemuir)
Match Rating: ***

CLYDEBANK (2) 5 (Miller 28, 32, 103, Evans 80, Houston 110)
EAST FIFE (1) 4 (Scott 13, 81, Huskey 70, Harley 119)
After Extra Time. Score 3-3 after 90 minutes
Att: 700

COWDENBEATH (2) 4 (Liddle 11, Forrest 29, 71, Steele 57)
ARBROATH (0) 0

DUNFERMLINE (0) 1 (McNaughton, pen 89) HIBERNIAN (1) 2 (Rae 32, Callachan 99) After Extra Time. Score 1-1 after 90 minutes Att: 8.552

HEARTS (0) 1 (MacDonald 83)
MORTON (1) 3 (Tolmie 43, Rooney 82, Thomson 86)
Att: 10,000
Hearts: Brough 7, Hamilton 6 (sub. McShane), Shields 6, Moore 5, Liddell 5, Mackay 5, Kidd 6, Gibson 5, Hamill 5 (sub. White 6), O'Brien 7,
*MacDONALD 8.
Morton: *BAINES 9, Hayes 7,
Holmes 7, Rooney 7, McLaughlin 7,
Orr 7, Houston 6, Marr 6, Thomson 6,
Tolmie 6, Ritchie 6.
Referee: I. Foote (Glasgow)
Match Rating: ***

MOTHERWELL (2) 2 (McLelland 15, Graham 18) STENHOUSEMUIR (0) 1 (Meakin 61) Att: 2,735

Saturday, Jan. 31

Division Four

TORQUAY v YORK — Match Postponed WIGAN (0) 0
LINCOLN (0) 2 (Cunningham 47,
Turner 60)
Att: 5,190
Wigan: Ward 5, Fretwell 6, McAdam
6, Methven 6, *CRIBLEY 8,
Urquhart 6, McMullan 6 (sub. Quinn,
M), Wright 6, Hutchinson 6, Quinn, T
6, Houghton 6.
Lincoln: Felgate 6, Thompson 7,
Keeley 6, *PEAKE 8, Carr 7, Hughes
7, Neale 7, Turner 7, Hobson 7,
Cunningham 6, Shipley 6,
Referee: T. Mills (Barnsley)
Match Rating: ***

SCOTTISH Premier Division

AIRDRIE (0) 0
DUNDEE UNITED (1) 5 (Dodds 41, 80, 81, Bannon, pen 67, Sturrock 73)
Att: 3,000
Airdrie: Martin 7, Cairney 7, March 6, Walker 7, Anderson, N 6, McCluskey 6, McKeown 6, McGuire 7, Clark 7, Gordon 6, *RUSSELL 8.
Dundee Utd: McAlpine 7, Phillip 6, Kopel 6, Addison 7, Hegarty 7, Narey 8, Bannon 8, Payne 7, Kirkwood 6, Sturrock 7, *DODDS 9.
Referee: I. Foote (Glasgow)
Match Rating: ****

HEARTS (0) 0
CELTIC (1) 3 (McGarvey 31, Burns 50, Sullivan 69)
Att: 14,596
Hearts: Brough 6, Hamilton 6, Moore 7, Liddell 7, Shields 6, Mackay 7 (sub. White 6), Kidd 7, Hamill 6, Gibson 5 (sub. McShane 6), *O'BRIEN 8, MacDonald 6.
Celtic: Bonnar 7, McGrain 6, Reid 7, Aitken 6, McAdam 7, Conroy 6, Provan 7, Sullivan 7, McGarvev 6, *BURNS 8, Nicholas 7 (sub. McCluskey).
Referee: A. Ferguson (Giffnock)
Match Rating: ***

MORTON (1) 1 (Rooney 14)
KILMARNOCK (0) 0
Att: 4,050
Morton: Baines 7, Hayes 6, Holmes
6, Rooney 7, McLaughlin 7, Orr 7,
Busby 6, ★MARR 8 (sub. Cochrane),
Thomson 6, Tolmie 5 (sub. Houston
6), Ritchie 6.
Kilmarnock: McCulloch 7, McLean 6,
Cockburn 5, Clark, J 5, Armstrong 6,
McDicken 6, Doherty 5 (sub. Gibson
6), Clarke, P 6, Bourke 7,
★MAUCHLEN 8, Hughes 6.
Referee: D. Downey (Edinburgh)
Match Rating: ★★★

PARTICK THISTLE (0) 0 ST MIRREN (0) 0 Att: 4,500 Partick: Rough 7, McKinnon 6, Whittaker 7, Campbell 6, Anderson 7, Watson 7, Park 6, *JARDINE 8, McDonald 7, O'Hara 6, Clark 6. St Mirren: Thomson 7, Young 6, Beckett 7, McCormack 6, Richardson 6, Stark 7, Abercrombie 7, Logan 6, MacDougall 6, *BONE 8. Referee: W. P. Knowles (Inverurie) Match Rating: **

RANGERS (0) 1 (Johnstone 63)
ABERDEEN (0) 0
Att: 32,400
Att: 32,400
Rangers: McCloy 7, Jardine 7,
Dawson 6, Stevens 7, Jackson 6, bett
7, Johnston 8, Russell 6, Johnstone
7, *REDFORD 9, MacDonald 6 (sub.
Cooper).
Aberdeen: Leighton 7, Hamilton 6,
Rougvie 6, Cooper 5 (sub. Considine
6), McLeish 7, Watson 6 (sub.
Harrow), Angus 7, Jarvie 6,

*McGHEE 8, McCall 7, Scanlon 6. Referee: R. Valentine (Dundee) Match Rating: ★★★

First Division

BERWICK (0) 0 HIBERNIAN (0) 0 Att: 2,019

DUMBARTON (1) 1 (MacLeod 20) EAST STIRLING (0) 0 Att: 700

DUNDEE (1) 2 (Sinclair 10, Scrimegour 53) AYR (1) 4 (Reilly 2, 73, Morris 69, McCutcheon 84) Att: 4,700

DUNFERMLINE (0) 0 STIRLING (0) 1 (McPhee 89) Att: 2.500

FALKIRK (0) 0 CLYDEBANK (0) 0 Att: 819

MOTHERWELL (0) 0 RAITH ROVERS (0) 0 Att: 2.953

ST JOHNSTONE (1) 2 (McCoist 7, Morton, pen 75) HAMILTON (0) 1 (Fairlie 47) Att: 2,122

Division Two Second Division

ALLOA (0) 0 EAST FIFE (0) 0 Att: 819

CLYDE (0) 1 (Masterton 78) ARBROATH (0) 0 Att: 900

COWDENBEATH (1) 1 (Marshall 24) QUEEN OF THE SOUTH (1) 1 (Coughlin 44) Att: 550

MEADOWBANK (1) 1 (Scott 32) STENHOUSEMUIR (0) 0 Att: 680

MONTROSE (1) 4 (Guyan 38, Robb 50, Forrest 60, Deedie 89) FORFAR (0) 0 Att 1 015

QUEEN'S PARK (1) 3 (Mckenzie 13, Hyslop 54, Rennie 78) ALBION ROVERS (0) 1 (Evans 73) Att: 780

STRANRAER (1) 1 (Sim 34) BRECHIN (0) 1 (Rodgers, og 90) Att: 250

Tuesday, Feb. 3 Division Two

QPR (0) 2 (Fenwick 49, Langley 61)
CARDIFF (0) 0
Att: 9,834
QPR: Burridge 7, Shanks 6, Gillard 6,
Fenwick 7, Wicks 7, Roeder 7,
*LANGLEY 8, King 6, Stainrod 7,
Currie 6, Silkman 6. ¹
Cardiff: *HEALEY 9, Jones 6,
Thomas 6, Hughes 6, Pontin 6, Dwyer
6 (sub. Maddy), Giles 6, Kitchen 6,
Micallef 6, Ronson 6, Buchanan 6.
Referee: T. G. Bune (Cranleigh)
Match Rating: ***

Division Three

COLCHESTER (1) 1 (Bremner 33)
EXETER (2) 2 (Forbes 11, Pullar 29)
Att: 2,357
Colchester: Walker 5, Cook 5,
Longhorn 6, Leslie 7, Wignall 6,
Wright 6, Hodge 6, Foley 6,
*BREMNER 8, Gough 6, Allinson 7.
Exeter: Main 8, Rogers, M 6, Hatch 7,
Forbes 7, Giles 7, Roberts 6, Pearson 6, Rogers, P 6, *KELLOW 9, Delve 7,
Pullar 7.
Referee: J. Bray (Hinckley)
Match Rating: ***

Division Four

NORTHAMPTON (0) 1 (Farmer 74) WIGAN (0) 1 (Quinn, M 48) Att: 1,708
Northampton: Poole 7, *SAXBY 8, Sandercock 6, Farmer 7, Waldock 6, Williams 6, Carlton 6, Sandy 5 (sub. Saunders 6), Phillips 6, Bowen 5, Denyer 6.
Wigan: Ward 6, Fretwell 7, McAdam 6, Urquhart 5 (sub. Tierney), Methven 7, Cribley 6, Quinn, M 7, *QUINN, T 8, Houghton 6, Hutchinson 6, Wright

Match Rating: ★★★

Wednesday, Feb. 4 Division Four

TORQUAY (2) 2 (Lawrence 26, Cooper 40)
SCUNTHORPE (0) 1 (Green 87)
Att: 1,769
Torquay: O'Keefe 7, Jones 7, Pethard 7, Coffill 7, Bourne 6 (sub. Bowker 6), Rioch 7, Fell 7, Lawrence 7, Cooper 7, *WILSON 8, Weston 7.
Scunthorpe: *NEENAN 7, Davy 6, Jarvis 6, Grimes 6, Dall 6, Oates 6, O'Berg 5, Cammack 6, Green 6, Pugh 5, Partridge 6 (sub. Stewart).
Referee: T. Ward (London)
Match Rating: ***

Friday, Feb. 6 Division Four

DONCASTER (1) 1 (Nimmo 19)
NORTHAMPTON (1) 1 (Bowen 34)
Att: 5,680
Doncaster: Boyd 6, Russell 7, Lally 7,
Snodin, I 8, Saunders 6, Harle 7,
Pugh 7, Nimmo 7, Lister 6,
*SNODIN, G 9, Little 7 (sub.
Bennett).
Northampton: Poole 8, Saxby 6,
Sandercock 6, Farmer 6, Saunders 7,
Williams 7, Carlton 7, Sandy 5,
Phillips 6, *BOWEN 9, Denyer 7.
Referee: M. P. Scott (Nottingham)
Match Rating: ***

SOUTHEND (1) 2 (Pontney 44, Spence 48)
HEREFORD (0) 0
Att: 5,229
Southend: Cawston 7, Stead 8, Yates 7, *HADLEY 9, Walker 6, Cusack 6, Gray 7, Pountney 7, Spence 7, Nelson 8, Otulakowski 8.
Hereford: Cashley 7, Price 6, Bartley 6, *HICKS 8, Cornes 7, Spiring 7, Harvey 6, Laidlaw 7, Showers 6, McGrellis 7, White 7.
Referee: C. Downey (Hounslow)
Match Rating: ***

TRANMERE (0) 0 BOURNEMOUTH (0) 1 (Ferns 55) Att: 2,480

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Bournemouth: Allen 7, Impey 5, Butler 5, Smith 7, Compton 6, Heffernan 6, Spackman 6, Morgan 7, Mooney 5, Whittle 6, *FERNS 8.

Referee: T. Farley (Durham)

Match Rating: ***

Saturday, Feb. 7

Division One

BIRMINGHAM (1) 2 (Evans 24, Curbishley 59)
BRIGHTON (0) 1 (Robinson 71)

Att: 13,691

Birmingham: *WEALANDS 8,

Langan 6, Broadhurst 7, Curbishley 7,

(sub. Bertschin 6), Gallagher 6, Todd
6, Ainscow 6, Evans 6, Worthington
6, Gemmill 5, Lynex 6.

Brighton: Digweed 5, ★GREGORY
7, Stevens 5, Horton 6, Foster 6 (sub. Clark 6), Lawrenson 6, McNab 6, Ritchie 6. Robinson 5. Smith 5.

O'Sullivan 5.
Referee: A. Dobson (Blackburn)
Match Rating: ★★

COVENTRY (2) 2 (Hunt 30, Hateley

36) WOLVES (0) 2 (Richards 46, Gray 18,243

Coventry: **SEALEY 8**, Thomas 6, Roberts 6, Blair 5, Dyson 7, Gillespie 6, Bodak 6, Daly 6, Thompson 6,

Hateley 6, Hunt 7. Wolves: Bradshaw 7, Palmer 7, Parkin 6, Clarke 6, McAlle 6, Berry 6, ★HIBBITT 8, Atkinson 6, Richards 6, Gray 7, Eves 5.
Referee: A. Challinor (Maltby) Match Rating: ★★

EVERTON (1) 1 (Ross, pen 36) ASTON VILLA (2) 3 (Morley 3, Mortimer 42, Cowans 70) Mortiner 42, Cowarts 70)
Att: 31,434
Everton: Hodge 5, Ratcliffe 6,
★BAILEY 8, Wright 4, Lyons 6, Ross
6, Megson 4, Eastoe 7, Varadi 6,
Hartford 6, O'Keefe 5 (sub. Lodge 4).

Aston Villa: Rimmer 6, Swain 6, Williams 6, Evans 6, McNaught 6, *MORTIMER 9, Bremner 7, Shaw 8, Withe 7, Cowans 7, Morley 8. Referee: G. P. Owen (Anglesey) Match Rating: ***

IPSWICH (0) 3 (Mariner 53, Wark, pen 54, Gilbert, og 59) CRYSTAL PALACE (1) 2 (Walsh 41, Mariner, og 80) Att: 25,032

Alt. 23,032 hpswich: Cooper 7, Osman 6, McCall 7, Thijssen 7, Beattie 6, Butcher 6, Wark 7, Muhren 7, Mariner 6, Brazil 6, ★GATES 8.

Crystal Palace: Barron 7, Lovell 6, Crystal Palace: Barron 7, Lovell 6, Hinshelwood 6, ★GILBERT 8, Boyle 6, Brooks 6, Smillie 7, Nicholas 6, Allen 7, Murphy 6, Walsh 7. Referee: P. Richardson (Lincoln) Match Rating: ★★★

LEICESTER (0) 1 (Melrose 64) MANCHESTER UNITED (0) 0 Att: 26.859

Leicester: Wallington 7, Williams 7, Friar 7, Peake 7, May 7, O'Neill 7, Byrne 7, *MELROSE 8, Young 7, Wilson 7, MacDonald 7 (sub. Goodwin 7).

Man Utd: Bailey 6, *NICHOLL 7, Albiston 6, Duxbury 6, Jovanovic 5 (sub. Wilkins 6), Buchan 6, Coppell 6, Birtles 6, Jordan 6, Macari 6, Thomas 6

Referee: D. Hutchinson (Harrogate)
Match Rating: ***

MANCHESTER CITY (1) 1 (Power

NOTTINGHAM FOREST (0) 1

NOTTINGHAM FOREST (0) 1
(Francis 55)
Att: 39,524
Man City: Corrigan 7, Henry 6,
McDonald 6, Booth 6, Power 7, Caton
6, Tueart 6, Gow 6, Mackenzie 6,
Hutchison 5, *REEVES 8.
Nottm Forest: Shilton 6, Anderson 7,
Gray, F 7, Gray, S 6, Burns 7, Gunn
6, Mills 6, Wallace 7, *FRANCIS 8,
Walsh 6, Robertson 6.
Referee: M. Baker (Wolverhampton)
Match Rating: ***

MIDDLESBROUGH (1) 1 (Hedley 40) SUNDERLAND (0) 0

Att: 35,065
Middlesbrough: Platt 7,

*NATTRASS 9, Bailey 7, Hedley 7,
Ashcroft 7, McAndrew 8, Cochrane 6,
Proctor 7, Hodgson 6, Jankovic 5,

Armstrong 7.
Sunderland: Siddall 7, Whitworth 7,
Bolton 6, Hindmarch 7, Elliott 7,
Rowell 6, Ritchie 5, Bowyer 7, Hawley
6, ★CHISHOLM 8, Cummins 6.



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Referee: K. S. Hackett (Sheffield) Match Rating: **
Sending Off: Bolton (Sunderland)

SOUTHAMPTON (0) 2 (Williams 53, NORWICH (0) 1 (Watson 73) Att: 20,450 Att: 20,450
Southampton: Wells 6, Golac 7,
Holmes 6, *WILLIAMS 8, Waldron
6, Nicholl 6, Keegan 7, Channon 7,
George 7, Moran 7, Baker 6.
Norwich: Hansbury 5, McDowell 6,
Powell 6 (sub. Muzinic 5), Barham 5,
Hoadley 5, Watson 6, Mendham 6,
*FASHANU 7, Royle 6, Paddon 6,
Goble 5 Goble 5. Referee: C. White (Harrow) Match Rating: ★★★

STOKE (1) 1 (Ursem 12) ARSENAL (0) 1 (Stapleton 59) Att: 14,400 Stoke: *FOX 9, Johnson 7, Nampton 7, Dodd 7, O'Callaghan 5, Doyle 6, Ursem 7, Bracewell 6, Chapman 5, Heath 5, Munro 6. Arsenal: Jennings 7, Hollins 7, Sansom 7, Talbot 6, O'Leary 7, Young 6, McDermott 6, Sunderland 6, Scholar Folk 6, Costing 6, Bir 6, Sunderland 6, *STAPLETON 8, Gatting 6, Rix 6.
Referee: V. G. Callow (Solihull)
Match Rating: ***

TOTTENHAM (1) 1 (Archibald 30) LEEDS (0) 1 (Harris 73) Att: 32,372 Spurs: Daines 6, McAllister 6, Miller 5, Roberts 6, Lacy 6, Perryman 7, Ardiles 6, Archibald 7, Galvin 7, *HODDLE 8, Crooks 5 (sub. Brooke). Leeds: Lukic 7, Greenhoff 6, Gray 6, Flynn 6, *HART 8, Cherry 6, Harris 6, Hird 6, Connor 6, Chandler 5 (sub. Stevenson 6), Graham 7.

Referee: A. Grey (Gt. Yarmouth)

Match Rating: ***

WEST BROM (1) 2 (Robson 37, Regis 86) LIVERPOOL (0) 0 Att: 27,905 West Brom: Godden 6, Batson 6, Statham 6, Moses 6, Wile 6, Bennett 7, Robson 7 (sub. Brown, A 7), Deehan 6, Regis 7, *OWEN 8, Barnes 7. Liverpool: Clemence 6, Neal 6, Money 6, Irwin 6, Kennedy, R 5, Hansen 6, Case 6, ★LEE 7, Johnson 5, Fairclough 6 (sub. Heighway), Souness 6 Referee: B. Daniels (Brentwood) Match Rating: ★★

Division Two

BOLTON (1) 4 (Thomas 40, 52, Wilson 61, Nikolic 73) CARDIFF (1) 2 (Buchanan 2, 78) Att: 8,115
Bolton: Peacock 7, Graham 6,
McElhinney 7, Wilson 7, Jones 6,
Brennan 7, Nikolic 7, *THOMAS 8,
Hoggan 7, Bennett 6, Gowling 7.
Cardiff: Healey 7, Jones 6, Thomas 7,
Roberts 7, Pontin 7, Micallef 6, Giles
6, Kitchin 6, Stevens 7, *RONSON
8, Buchanan 7. Referee: M. Lowe (Sheffield) Match Rating: ★★★★

BRISTOL CITY (0) 1 (Pritchard 49) SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY (0) 0 Att: 11,639
Bristol City: Moller 6, Stevens 5,
Sweeney 7, Aitken 7, Marshall 6,
Nicholls 5, *TAINTON 8, Mann 7,
Mabbutt 5, Pritchard 6, Whitehead 5.
Sheff Wed: Bolder 7, Blackhall 6,
Grant 6, Smith 7, Shirtliff 6, Sterland
7, Mirocevic 7, Johnson 5 (sub.
Pearson 6), Leman 6, McCulloch 6.
*CURRAN 8 ★CURRAN 8.
Referee: D. S. Vickers (Ilford) Match Rating: ★★★

CAMBRIDGE (0) 0 Att: 16.704 Chelsea: Borota 7, Locke 7, Rofe 7, Bumstead 6, ★DROY 9, Chivers 7, Viljoen 6, Fillery 7, Lee 6, Walker 6, Mayes 7.

Cambridge: Key 7, Donaldson 7,

Murray 6, ★SMITH 8, Fallon 7,

Finney 7, Streete 7, Spriggs 7, Reilly
6 (sub. O'Neill 6), Taylor 7, Turner 7.

Referee: A. Gunn (Sussex) Match Rating: ★★★

CHELSEA (1) 3 (Droy 36, Mayes 73,

DERBY (1) 2 (Swindlehurst 13, Emery 64) GRIMSBY (0) 1 (Waters, pen 87) Att: 19,691 Derby: Jones 7, Emery 6, Buckley 6, *POWELL, S 8, McFarland 7, Swindlehurst 7 (sub. Osgood), Powell, B 6, Hector 6, Biley 6, Wilson 7, Emson 5. Grimsby: Batch 6, Stone 6, Crombie 7, *WATERS 8, Wigginton 5, Moore 7, Brolly 6 (sub. Kilmore), Whymark 6, Drinkell 6, Mitchell 6, Cumming 6.
Referee: M. J. Didmead (Chessington)
Match Rating: ***

LUTON (0) 3 (Price 53, Hill 61, Moss BLACKBURN (1) 1 (Burke 9)

Att: 9,350 Luton: Findlay 7, Stephens 6, Luton: Findlay 7, Stephens 6,
Donaghy 7, Grealish 5, West 6, Price
7, *HILL 9, Stein 7, Ingram 8,
Aizlewood 8, Moss 7.
Blackburn: Arnold 7, Branagan 6,
Rathbone 6, Kendall 6, Keeley 7,
Fazackerley 7 (sub. Stonehouse 5),
*BROTHERSTON 8, Garner 6,
Lowey 6, Burke 7, Speight 7.
Referee: J. E. Gray (Hinckley)
Match Rating: ***

NEWCASTLE (0) 1 (Waddle 52) QPR (0) 0 Att: 20,442 Newcastle: Carr 7, Carney 6, Johnson 6, Martin 7 (sub. Harford 6), *BOAM 8, Halliday 6, Shinton 6, Trewick 7, Clarke 7, Wharton 7, Waddle 7. QPR: Burridge 6, Shanks 6, Gillard 7, Fenwick 7, Wicks 6, Roeder 6, Langley 7, King 7, Stainrod 6, ★CURRIE 8, Silkman 6. Referee: P. A. Tyldesley (Stockport) Match Rating: ★★

NOTTS COUNTY (2) 2 (Masson 8, McCullough 14) SWANSEA (0) 1 (Robinson 83) Att: 8.628 Notts County: Leonard 7, Benjamin 7, O'Brien 7, Kelly 7, Kilcline 8, Richards 7, McCullough 7, *MASSON 9, Christie 7, Hunt 7, Hooks 7. Swansea: Stewart 6, Attley 6, Hadziabdic 6, Lewis 6, Stevenson 6, Phillips 7, Craig 7, Mahoney 6, Curtis 6, James, L 6 (sub. Giles 6), *ROBINSON 8. Referee: G. Courtney (Spennymoor) Match Rating: ***

OLDHAM (1) 1 (McDonough 33) BRISTOL ROVERS (0) 0 Oldham: Platt 6, Sinclair 6, Blair 7, Keegan 7, Clements 7, Hurst 7, Edwards 5, Hilton 5, Nuttall 5, Palmer 6, *McDONOUGH 8.
Bristol Rovers: *KITE 8, Gillies 6,
Jones 5, Cooper 6, Hughes 5, Emmanuel 7, Barrowclough 6, Williams 6, Lee 5 (sub. Penny 5), Randall 5, Mabbutt 6.
Referee: J. Hunting (Leicester)
Match Rating: **

ORIENT (1) 2 (Bowles, pen 31, Parsons 70) WREXHAM (1) 1 (Fox 9) Att: 4,057 Orient: Day 6, Fisher 7, Roffey 7, Taylor, T 6, Moores 6, Parsons 7,

Chiedozie 7, Margerrison 6, Jennings 6 (sub. Hughton), ★BOWLES 8, Taylor, P 6. Faylor, P 6.
Wrexham: Davies 7, Sutton 7, Dwyer
7, Jones 7, Cegielski 6, Arkwright 7,
★FOX 8, Carrodus 7, Edwards 7,
McNeil 6, Cartwright 6.
Referee: D. Letts (Hants)
Match Rating: ★★★

PRESTON (2) 2 (McGee 22, Coleman WATFORD (1) 1 (Jenkins 10) WATFORD (1) 1 (Jenkins 10)
Att: 5,107
Preston: Tunks 7, Westwell 7,
McAteer 6, Bell 6, Baxter 7,
O'Riordan 6, Doyle 6, Coleman 7,
Elliott 6, *McGEE 8, Naughton 7.
Watford: Sherwood 7, Rice 6,
Harrison 7, Taylor 7, Sims 7, Jackett
7, Armstrong 6, *POSKETT 8,
Jenkins 7, Train 6 (sub. Rostron 6),
Blissett 7.
Referee: T. L. Morris (Leeds)
Match Rating: *** Match Rating: ★★★

SHREWSBURY (0) 0 WEST HAM (1) 2 (Devonshire 32, Cross 90) Att: 9,201 Att: 9,201
Shrewsbury: Wardle 7, King 6,
Leonard 6, MacLaren 5 (sub. Petts 6),
★GRIFFIN 8, Keay 7, Tong 7,
Atkins 6, Bates 6, Biggins 5, Cross 6.
West Ham: Parkes 7, Stewart 7,
Lampard 7, Bonds 8, Martin 6,
Devonshire 8, Neighbour 6, Goddard Devonshire 8, Neighbour 6, Godd
7 (sub. Barnes), Cross 7,
★BROOKING 9, Pike 7.
Referee: H. King (Merthyr Tydfil)
Match Rating: ★★

Division Three

BURNLEY (1) 1 (Dobson, pen 42) EXETER (0) 0 EXETER (0) 0
Att: 5,585
Burnley: *STEVENSON 9, Laws 7,
Holt 6, Wood 6, Phelan 7, Dobson 8,
Young 6, Potts 6, Hamilton 8,
Robertson 6, Cavener 5.
Exeter: Main 7, Rogers, M 7, Hatch 7,
Forbes 6, Giles 6, Roberts, P 6,
Pearson 6, *ROGERS, P 8, Kellow
6, Delve 6, Pullar 6 (sub. Roberts, L
6). Referee: C. Seel (Carlisle)
Match Rating: ★★★

CHESTER (3) 4 (Phillips 4, Jones 25, Howat 40, Raynor, pen 50) CHARLTON (0) 0 Att: 2,461 Chester: Millington 7, Raynor 6, Walker 6, Storton 5, Cottam 5, Jeffries 6, Sutcliffe 6, ★JONES 8, Jerries b, Sutcliffe 6, *JONES 8, Howat 6, Phillips 7, Burns 6. Charlton: Johns 5, Gritt 6, Madden 5, Shaw 5, Berry 6, Tydeman 6, Powell 7, Naylor 6 (sub. Smith 5), *WALSH 8, Walker 7, Robinson 6. Referee: K. Walmsley (Blackpool)

FULHAM (1) 1 (Beck 25) BRENTFORD (0) 1 (Roberts 55) Att: 8.721 7, ★BECK 8, Brown 6, Gale 7, Davies 6, O'Driscoll 6, Mahoney 6, Lewington 7, Greenaway 6 (sub.

Match Rating: ★★★

Lewington 7, Greenaway 6 (3d3.)
Wilson 6).
Brentford: McKellar 7, Tucker 7, Hill
6, ★SALMAN 8, Kruse 6, Hurlock 7,
Shrubb 6, Frost 6, Johnson 7, Harris
7, Crown 6 (sub. Roberts 6).
Referee: T. G. Bune (Surrey)
Match Rating: ★★★

GILLINGHAM (0) 0 CARLISLE (0) 1 (Staniforth, pen 60) Att: 4,927 Gillingham: Sutton 7, Walker 7, Ford 6, Bruce 7 (sub. Adams), Weatherly 7, Crabbe 6, Nichol 6,

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IMHEE winners of the PGL Soccer Holiday competition published in our January 24 issue were: Stephen Grant, Mirieston, Livingstone, West Lothian, Scotland; Anthony Beaton, Yeovil, Somerset; Alan Walker, Edinburgh 4. The correct sequence of football qualities according to our panel of experts was: 6, 2, 3, 1, 7, 5, 4. THREE winners of the PGL Soccer Holiday

WINNERS of the five Match Weekly WINNERS of the five Match Weekly holdalls in our January 31 issue were: Steven Austin, Enfield, Middlesex; A. C. Stoneman, North Harrow, Middlesex; Simon Noake, Luton, Bedfordshire; Barry Hilton, Polegate, East Sussex; and Ian Peirson,. Whitby, North Yorkshire. Correct answers were: a. net; b. time; c. wall; d. line; e. nod.

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Duncan 6, Price 6, ★LEE 8, Richardson 7.

Carlisle: Swinburne 7, ★HAIGH 8, Coady 6, Hamilton 7, Houghton 7, Parker 7, Coughlin 6, Campbell 7, Bannon 6, Beardsley 7, Staniforth 7. Referee: D. A. Hedges (Oxford)
Match Rating: ★★★

HUDDERSFIELD (1) 1 (Cowling 10) BARNSLEY (0) 0 Att: 28.901 Huddersfield: Freeman 7, Brown 7,

Huddersfield: Freeman 7, Brown 7, Robinson 8, Stanton 7, Sutton 7, Hanvey 7, Lillis 7, Kennedy 8, Austin 8, *KINDON 9, Cowling 8.

Barnsley: New 7, Joyce 6, Chambers 6, Glavin 5, Banks 6 (sub. Cooper 7), McCarthy 7, Evans 6, Parker 6, Riley 7, *LESTER 8, Downes 6.

Referee: N. Midgley (Salford)

Match Rating: ***

HULL (0) 2 (Whitehurst 75, Edwards

BLACKPOOL (0) 1 (Ball 47)

Hull: Davies 6, Hoolickin 6, ★BOOTH 8, Richards 5, Roberts, G 6, Roberts, D 6, Marwood 5, McClaren 5, Deacy 5 (sub. Whitehurst 6), Edwards 5,

Mutrie 7.

Blackpool: Hesford 6, Gardner 7,
Pashley 8, Ball 6, ★THOMPSON 9,
Sbragia 4, Morgan 5, Bamber 6,
Harrison 5, Entwistle 5, Brockbank 6.
Referee: J. M. Warner (Wednesbury)
Match Rating: ★★
Sending Off: Sbragia (Blackpool)

OXFORD (0) 0 NEWPORT (1) 1 (Gwyther 3) Att: 4,440

Att: 4,440
Oxford: Burton 6, Doyle 5 (sub.
Cassells 6), Fogg 5, Jeffrey 6, Cooke
5, Briggs 6, *JONES 7, Foley 5,
Thomas 5, Lythgoe 5, Smithers 6.
Newport: Kendall 6, Walden 6, Relish
5, Davies 6, Oakes 7, Tynan 7,
Yaughan 5, Lowndes 6, Gwyther 7,
Elsey 6, *MOORE 8.
Referee: B. Hill (Kettering)
Match Rating: ***

PLYMOUTH (0) 1 (Johnson 54) CHESTERFIELD (0) 0

Att: 6 305 Plymouth: Crudgington 6, Nesbet 6, Hymouth: Crudgington 6, Nesbet 6, Harrison 5, Hodges 6, Foster 7, Phillipson-Masters 6, Cooper 5, Kemp 5, Sims 6, *JOHNSON 8, Murphy 5. Chesterfield: Turner 6, Tartt 7, O'Neill 6, *WILSON 8, Green 6, Hunter 6, Birch 7, Moss 5, Kowalski 6, Salmons 5 (sub. Ridley 6), Walker 7

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Referee: A. R. Glasson (Salisbury) Match Rating: ★★

PORTSMOUTH (1) 2 (Doyle 29, Tait

WALSALL (0) 0 Att: 11,921

Portsmouth: Mellor 6, McLaughlin 7 (sub. Gregory 7), Viney 6, Doyle 7, Aizlewood 7, Ellis 6, Hemmerman 6, *TAIT 8, Rafferty 6, Bryant 7, Rogers

Walsall: Green 7, Harrison 7, Mower 6, Serella 6, Baines 8, Hart 6, Waddington, S 6, Caswell 7, Smith 6 (sub. Penn 7), Buckley 7, Waddington, D 6.

Referee: C. Maskell (Cambridge)
Match Rating: ★★★

ROTHERHAM (0) 1 (Gooding 70) SWINDON (0) 0 Att: 7,162

Att: 7,162

Rotherham: Mountford 7,

*FORREST 8, Breckin 6, Rhodes 7,
Tiler 7, Mullen 7, Towner 6, Seasman
7, Moore 6, Gooding 7, Henson 7.

Swindon: Allan 6, Henry 6, *PEACH
8, Kamara 7, Rollings 7, Stroud 7,
Miller 6, Cockerill 6 (sub. Rideout),
Rowland 7, Greenwood 6, Williams 7,
Referee: D. B. Allinson (Lancaster)

Match Rating: *** Match Rating: ★★★

SHEFFIELD UNITED (1) 2 (Hatton 7, Neville 67) READING (0) 0

READING (0) 0
Att: 8,601
Sheff Utd: Conroy 7, Moore 7, Tibbott 7, Kenworthy 8, McPhail 8, Trusson 7, Brazil 6, Ryan 7, Garner 7, ★HATTON 9, Neville 7.
Reading: Death 7, Williams 7, Lewis 7, Bowman 7, ★KEARNEY 9, Hetzke 8, Earles 6, Beavon 6, Dixon 7, Joslyn 8 (sub. Heale 7). Cheetham 6

8 (sub. Heale 7), Cheetham 6. Referee: D. A. Webb (Sale) Match Rating: ★★★

Division Four

ALDERSHOT (0) 0 PORT VALE (0) 0 Att: 2,598

Att: 2,598
Aldershot: Johnson 6, Edwards 7,
Wooler 6, *BRILEY 8, Youlden 5,
Jopling 5, Lucas 5, Scott 5, Sanford 4
(sub. McGregor), Crosby 5, Hampshire

Port Vale: Harrison 6, Brissett 7, Bromage 7, Beech 6, Bowles 6, Sproson 7, Higgins 6, Armstrong 8, *CHAMBERLAIN, N 9, Chamberlain, M 8, Bennett 7. Referee: T. Spencer (Salisbury) Match Rating: **

BRADFORD (2) 2 (Campbell 1, 18) TORQUAY (0) 0 Att: 2,872

Bradford: Ramsbottom 6, Thompson 6, Wood 6, *INGHAM 8, Jackson 7, Watson 6, Chapman 6, Staniforth 7, Campbell 7, Callagher 6, Stannforth 7, Campbell 7, Callagher 6, Black 6.

Torquay: O'Keefe 6, Jones 5, Pethard 6, *COFFILL 8, Bowker 6, Rioch 7, Fell 6. Lawrence 6 (sub. Sermanni 6), Cooper 6, Wilson 6, Weston 7. Referee: A. Banks (Manchester)
Match Rating: **
Sending Off: Thompson (Bradford)

THE remainder of the Saturday programme will be published in next week's MATCH.



"HE'S told me to further my career and the further the better!"

MANAGER to coach: "Whenever I'm down in the dumps I get myself another player'

Coach: "I wondered where you got them from!" R. Duszczak, Chesterfield, Derbyshire.

WHAT'S the difference between Brendan Batson and Laurie Cunningham? ANSWER: About 3,000 Amrik Thandi, Leicester.





"HELLO dear, I've just made the biggest signing in United's history!"

DURING a floodlit match all the lights suddenly went out. The Chinese electrician told all the spectators to raise their left hands.

The manager asked him why and he replied: "Many hands make light work!" Jackie March, Sherburn, Co. Durham.



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'Worzel's' a wonder

WHEN Worzel Gummidge leaves his post in Ten Acre field it usually spells trouble for local villagers.

And when Coventry's answer to
Worzel goes on a run it also spells havoc . for opposition defences.

Tricky winger Peter Bodak is nicknamed 'Worzel' by his team-mates because he looks like actor Jon Pertwee who plays the role of the scarecrow in the television series.

But when it comes to football, Birmingham born Peter has no look-alike.

"He's very much an individual — you can't compare him with anybody because he's a one-off," says Coventry goalkeeper Les Sealey.

Peter made his debut earlier this season in the 'Sky Blues' 3-1 win over Crystal Palace and was an instant hit with the fans.

"He's very fast and not scared to take on defenders — I noticed him when he first came to the club as an apprentice,"

Even at 16 he could centre a ball with deadly accuracy.

"Peter's very confident and many people have branded him 'big-headed', but if that means he believes in himself then they're right," said Les.

Les Sealev's tip: PETER BODAK



Above: Coventry 'keeper Les Sealey, who rates team-mate Peter Bodak as a star of the

Right: Peter Bodak - Coventry's answer to Worzel Gummidge — leaves defenders standing!

> AN EXCITING crop of youngsters have hit the First Division headlines this season so Match Weekly has been asking the top stars to give us their tips for the top . . .



He's pushing for my place'

WOLVES' exciting young left-back Mick Hollifield is causing his team-mate Derek Parkin all sorts of problems.

Derek - the regular left-back at Molineux for over 10 years — was side-lined by injury earlier this season and Mick grabbed his first team chance with a string of polished performances.

And although Derek's since regained his place he admits: "Mick's certainly making me work hard to keep it, but I don't mind the competition — it can only be good for

'To the lad's credit he came into the side when results weren't going too well and helped us out of the doldrums.

In fact Mick formed a useful full-back partnership with another Wolves youngster, John Humphrey. It was only broken when John went down with a mystery virus.

The pair played a big part in Wolves' shock 4-1 win over League Champions Liverpool at Molineux earlier this season.

Mick's got a tremendous left foot shot I wish I could crack the ball as hard as he " added Derek.

'Competition for places at a club can only be healthy although I'm glad that I can play in midfield as well," he joked.

'At the moment Geoff Palmer and myself have regained our places, but you can bet Mick and John will be back very soon trying to take our first team spots."

Above: Derek Parkin, who rates his team-mate Mick Hollifield as a threat to his number three shirt.

Right: Mick Hollifield - looking to make the Wolves left-back place his own.



Derek Parkin's tip: MICK HOLLIFIELD



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MORTIMER'S CILLER BLOW

DENNIS MORTIMER (Aston Villa) v Liverpool, League Division One, Villa Park, Saturday, January 10, 1981.

VICTORY was vital . . . if only to prove to those fans not among the 48,000 packing the ground that high-flying Aston Villa could beat the best.

A 1-0 defeat in the FA Cup at the hands of fellow championship challengers Ipswich at Portman Road the week before made it doubly important that Villa took two points from a Liverpool side that had beaten them 2-1 at Anfield.

Striker Peter Withe gave the home side a great start with a goal after 19 minutes, but it was just eight minutes from time when Villa sewed the game up . . . and fittingly it was skipper Dennis Mortimer who provided the killer

"It all started in the right back position with Kenny Swain," said Dennis.

'He won the ball, went past Liverpool's Alan Kennedy and took it on to the half way line.

'Gary Shaw ran round the back of Kenny who back-heeled the ball into his path.

"As Gary picked the ball up I made my run towards the Liverpool box.

"I shouted for the ball, Gary saw me and played the through pass right into my path.

"My only problem then was to knock it past Ray Clemence in the Liverpool goal!

"I seemed to have so much time to think about it, but in the end I decided to place it rather than try and round him.

"Ray had come out very quickly and he was moving his body from

side to side.

"In the split second I hit the ball
I must just have caught him swaying the wrong way and in it

"Any goal I score is a bonus for me because I don't get that many and this came from a deep run which is how I like to score

Dennis Mortimer (white shirt) in action against **Ipswich Town's Arnold** Muhren — both have their eyes set on the League title this season.

